

X. The Chief Justice and Judges of the said Court in office when the next preceding section shall take effect, shall remain such by virtue of the commission they then hold ; the new Judges of the Court and all future Judges thereof, shall be appointed from among the then Circuit Judges, and the Advocates of at least ten years' standing at the Bar of Lower Canada, in the manner provided by the Act last cited, all the provisions whereof and of the law shall apply to all the Judges of the said Court.

Present Judges to remain ; how new Judges shall be appointed and qualified.

XI. Four of the Judges of the said Court shall reside at the City of Montreal—three at the City of Quebec—one at the Town of Three-Rivers—one at the Town of Sherbrooke—one at the Village of Aylmer—or in the immediate neighbourhood of the said places respectively,—two in the District of Gaspé and one in the District of Saguenay, at such places as shall be appointed by the Governor ; and the others at such places as the Governor shall appoint in the District or Districts in which they shall by him be directed from time to time ordinarily to exercise their judicial functions.

Where the Judges shall respectively reside.

XII. The Salary of the Chief Justice and the Salaries of the Puisné Judges of the said Court appointed before the passing of this Act, shall not be affected by it ; but of Puisné Judges hereafter to be appointed, the Salaries shall be as follows :

Salaries of the Judges of the Superior Court.

Of those who shall be directed to reside in the Districts of Montreal and Quebec, *one thousand* pounds per annum ;

Of those who shall be directed to reside in the other Districts, except those of Gaspé and Saguenay, *eight hundred* pounds per annum ;

And of those who shall be directed to reside in the Districts of Gaspé and Saguenay, *seven hundred* pounds per annum ;

The allowance to Judges for travelling expenses, shall be fixed by the Governor in Council, as heretofore.

Travelling expenses.

XIII. The office of Circuit Judge is hereby abolished ; and the Circuit Court shall be held by the Judges of the Superior Court, each of whom shall have all the powers and duties vested in or assigned to any Circuit Judge at the time when this section shall take effect. The Circuit Court shall be held in each District at the place where the Superior Court shall be held therein, and being so held shall be known as the Circuit Court for the District of (*naming the District*), and its jurisdiction shall extend over the whole of such District, in like manner as that of the Circuit Court in any Circuit now extends over such Circuit, but concurrently with the Circuit Court (if any) to be held as hereinafter provided in and for any County in such District, in so far as regards such County.

Office of Circuit Judge abolished : and Judges of Superior Court to hold the Circuit Court.

Circuit Court to be held in and for each District,