BILL.

An Act to detach the Seigniory of Chateauguay from the Judicial Circuit, of Montreal and to annex it to that of Beauharnois.

WHEREAS from the great distance at which the Preamble. Seigniory of Chateauguay is situate from the City of Montreal, and the difficulty experienced at certain seasons of the year by the inhabitants of the said Seigniory in 5 crossing the River St. Lawrence opposite the said Seigniory, to attend the Circuit Court of the Montreal Circuit within which the said Seignory is comprised, it is expedient to detach the said Seigniory from the said Montreal Circuit, and annex the same to the Beauharnois 10 Circuit: Be it therefore enacted. &c...

And it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, After 1st That from and after the first day of October next after October next, the passing of this Act, the said Seigniory of Chateau-Seigniory guay shall be and is hereby detached from the said annexed to 15 Montreal Circuit, and shall form part of and be included Beauharnois in the said Beauharnois Circuit, anything in the Act Circuit. passed in the twelfth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, "An Act to amend the laws relative to the 12 Vict. c. "Courts of Original Civil Jurisdiction in Lower Canada," 38. 20 to the contrary notwithstanding.

II. Provided always and be it enacted, That all actions, Proviso: suits and proceedings brought in the said Montreal Cir- as to cases previously cuit, and which shall be pending on the said first day of commenced. October next, shall be continued and prosecuted to final 25 judgment, and all proceedings subsequent to judgment shall be had, in the said Montreal Circuit, as if this Act had not been passed.

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