



No. 84.

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4th Session, 6th Parliament, 24 Victoria, 1861

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**BILL.**

An Act to enable the Rate-payers of the  
County of Lincoln to select a more con-  
venient place for the County Town.

(PRIVATE BILL.)

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Received and read, first time, Tuesday, 9th  
April, 1861.

Second reading, Wednesday, 10th April,  
1861.

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Mr. RYKERT.

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**QUEBEC.**

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An Act to enable the Rate-payers of the County of Lincoln to select a more convenient place for the County Town.

**WHEREAS** the Municipal Council of the County of Lincoln have Preamble.  
by their Petition prayed that an Act may be passed to enable the  
Municipal Electors of the said County to change the place for the  
County Town of the said County, and it is expedient to grant the  
5 prayer of the said Petition; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the  
advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada,  
enacts as follows:

I. It shall and may be lawful for the Municipal Council of the County How a By-law  
to change the  
County Town  
shall be con-  
firmed.  
10 of Lincoln, at any time they may see fit, to pass a By-law for changing  
the place for the County Town of the said County, and naming another  
place to be the County Town; but such By-law shall not be valid unless  
on the final passing thereof it receives the assent of a majority equal at  
least to one-third of the votes against such By-law by the Municipal  
15 Electors thereof, taken in the same manner as is necessary in the case  
of a By-law for creating a debt for taking stock in a Railway Company;  
and the said County Council are hereby authorized to adopt and pass  
such By-law and take such measures as they may deem expedient to  
procure the necessary County Buildings at such place as may be selected  
20 for the new County Town; and as soon as the new County Buildings  
are ready, the Governor shall issue his Proclamation giving effect to the  
change from the day therein mentioned.

II. In case such change be made, the present County Buildings shall Present  
County build-  
ings:  
be and remain the exclusive property of the present County Town, and  
the Town shall be exempt from taxation for the purchase of land for the  
25 new Buildings and for the erection of such new Buildings.

III. This Act shall be deemed a Public Act.

Public Act.

*Foley -*

*Haston - a majority of Rate-payers  
County Council  
approved and on the 14th  
2d Reading Carried -*