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BILL.

An Act to enlarge the Representation of the People of this Province in Parliament.

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BITAL.

An Act to enlarge the Representation of the People of this Province in Parliament.

WW HEREAS the increasing population of this Province and the Preamble. necessity of providing for its growing wants and for the developement of its resources, render it imperative to enlarge the 4 Representation of the People thereof in the Legislative Assembly, and to apportion that Representation more fairly, and with this view 6 to alter the limits of certain Counties and other subdivisions, and to adopt other Legislative provisions in the behalf aforesaid: Be it 8 therefore, &c.

established for

representation.

And it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That from and New divisions 10 after the end of the present Provincial Parliament, the Counties, Ridings, Cities and Towns hereinafter mentioned shall be the subdi-

12 visions of this Province upon which the Representation of the People thereof in the Legislative Assembly shall be based and regulated, in

14 the manner hereinaster prescribed, and such subdivisions shall be in the place and stead of those now subsisting, as regards elections of

16 Members of the said Assembly, and all matters thereunto relating, that is to say:

LOWER CANADA.

1. The County of Gaspé shall be bounded on the south-west by a County of line commencing at Mackarel point on the north side and near the

20 mouth of the Bay of Chaleurs, thence running north-west fortyseven miles, thence south sixty-nine degrees west until it strikes a 22 line drawn south-east from Cape Chat on the River St. Lawrence.-

on the west by the line last mentioned,-and on the north and east 24 by the River and Gulf of St. Lawrence; including in the said County the Island of Bonaventure, and all the Islands wholly or in

26 part opposite to the said County and nearest thereto, and also the Magdalen Islands in the Gulf of St. Lawrence; the said County so

28 bounded comprising the Fiefs and Seigniories of Ste. Anne, Mont-Louis, La Magdeleine, Grande Vallée des Monts and Anse de 30 l'Etang, Grand River and Pabos, and the townships of Cap Chat, Sydenham, Fox, Cap Rosier, Gaspé Bay North, Gaspé Bay South,

32 York, Douglas, Malbaie, Percé and Newport, the Magdalen Islands, and the said Islands lying opposite to the said County and nearest

34 to it.

2. The County of Bonaventure shall be bounded on the east by County of 36 the County of Gaspé,—on the north partly by the said County of Gaspé, and partly by the County of Rimouski hereinafter described,-

38 on the west by the said County of Rimouski, - and on the south by the Bay of Chaleurs and the southern limits of the Province,—and 40 shall comprise that part of the District of Gaspé lying between the County of Gaspé and the District of Quebec, including all the Islands 42 wholly or partly opposite to the said County of Bonaventure and

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nearest thereto; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniory of Shoolbred and the Townships of Port Daniel, Hope, Cox, Hamilton, New Richmond, Maria, Carleton, Nouvelle, Mann, Ristigouche and Matapédia.

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County of Rimouski. 3. The County of Rimouski shall be bounded on the east by the County of Gaspé,—on the west by the north-eastern line of the 6 parish of St. Simon prolonged to the County of Bonaventure,—on the south-east by the County of Bonaventure,—and on the north-8 west by the River St. Lawrence, including all the Islands in the said River lying nearest to the said County of Rimouski and wholly 10 or partly opposite thereto; the said County so bounded comprising that part of the Seigniory of Nicolas Rioux lying within the Parish 12 of St. Fabien, the Seigniories of Bic, Rimouski and St. Barnabé, Lessard, Lepage or Thibierge, Pachot, Mitis, Matane, Lake 14 Matapédia and Lake Metis, and the Townships of MacNider, Matane, St. Denis and the augmentation thereof.

County of Temiscounta. 4. The County of Temiscouta shall be bounded on the north-east by the County of Rimouski as hereinbefore described,—on the 18 south-west by the north-eastern line of the Seigniory of Terrebois or Verbois prolonged to the River St. François, and thence down the 20 said River to the Province line,—on the south and south-east by the Province line,—on the north-west by the River St. Lawrence, 22 including Green Island and all the Islands in the said River St. Lawrence nearest to the said County of Temiscouta and wholly or 24 partly opposite thereto; the said County so bounded comprising that part of the Seigniory of Nicolas Rioux lying in the parish of St. 26 Simon, the Seigniories of Trois-Pistoles, Isle Verte, Villerai, Le Parc, Rivière du Loup, Madawaska and Lake Temiscouta, and the 28 Townships of Whitworth and Viger.

County of Kamouraska. 5. The County of Kamouraska shall be bounded on the north-east by 30 the County of Temiscouata,—on the south-west by the south-western line of the Seigniory of Ste. Anne, prolonged to the southern limits 32 of the Province,—on the north-west by the River St. Lawrence, including all the Islands in the said River nearest to the County of 34 Kamouraska and wholly or partly opposite thereto,—and on the southeast by the Province line; the said County so bounded comprising the 36 Seigniories of Terrebois or Verbois, L'Islet du Portage, Granville, Kamouraska, Saint Denis de la Bouteillerie and its augmentation, \$8 Rivière Ouelle and its augmentation, St. Anne and the Townships of Bungay, Woodbridge, Parke and Ixworth.

County of L'Islet.

6. The County of L'Islet shall be bounded on the north-east by the County of Kamouraska as above described,—on the south-west 42 by the north-eastern line of the Seigniory of Bellechasse, prolonged to the southern corner of the Fief Lépinai, thence following the rear 44 line of the said Fief to the north-eastern line of the Township of Armagh, and thence following the line last mentioned prolonged to 46 the limits of the Province,—on the north-west by the River St. Lawrence, including Crane Island, Goose Island and all the Islands 48 in the said River nearest to the County of L'Islet and wholly or partly opposite thereto,—and to the south-east by the southern limits of the 50 Province; the said County so bounded comprising the Fief Saint

Denis, the Seigniories of Saint Roch des Aulnets, Réaume, Saint 2 Jean Port Joli, L'Islet, Lessard, Bonsecours, Vincelot and its augmentation, Cap Saint Ignace, Gagnier, Saint Joseph, Saint 4 Claire, Saint Thomas, Rivière du Sud and Lépinai, the Townships of Ashford (and its augmentation,) Lessard and Ashburton.

7. The County of Bellechasse shall be bounded on the north-east County of by the County of L'Islet as above described,—on the north-west by Bellechasse. 8 the River St. Lawrence, including all the Islands in the said River

lying nearest to the said County of Bellechasse and wholly or partly 10 opposite thereto,—on the south-east by the southern limits of the

Province,—and on the south-west by the north-eastern lines of the 12 Seigniories of Lauzon and Jolliet and of the Township of Frampton

as far as the north-western line of Standon, and thence following the 14 said north-western line of Standon and its augmentation, as far as the northern corner of the said augmentation, and thence by the north-

16 eastern line of the said augmentation prolonged to the Province line; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniories of Berthier—

18 Bellechasse, Saint Vallier and its augmentation, Saint Michel and its augmentation, Vincennes, Livaudière, Beaumont and its augmen-

20 tation, LaMartinière, Montapeine and Saint Gervais, and the Townships of Buckland and Armagh.

8. The County of Dorchester shall be bounded on the north-east by County of the County of Bellechasse as above desbribed, as far as the south- Dorchester.

24 eastern corner of the Seigniory of Lauzon,—on the north-west by the River St. Lawrence, on the south-east by southern line of the

26 Seigniory of Lauzon,—again on the north-east by the Seigniories of Saint Etienne and Sainte Marie as far as the south-eastern corner of

28 the Seigniory of St. Giles,—and on the south by the southern limits of the said Seigniory of St. Gile s, -on the south-west by the south-

30 western line of the said Seigniory of St. Giles,—on the north-west by the north-western limits of the said Seigniory as far as the south-32 western line of the Seigniory of Lauzon,—and again on the west by

the south-western line of the said Seigniory of Lauzon as far as the 34 River St. Lawrence; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniory of Lauzon and the Seigniory of Saint Giles or Beau-

36 rivage.

9. The County of Beauco shall be bounded on the north-east by the County of County of Bellechasse as above described,—on the north-west and Beauce. 40 partly on the south-west by the County of Dorchester as above described, and again on the south-west by the Townships of Brough-

42 ton, Tring and part of Shenley, as far as the south-eastern line of the Seigniory of Aubert-Gallion,—thence by the south-eastern line 44 of the said Seigniory as far as the River Chaudière, thence upwards

towards the south by the middle of the said River as far as the 46 southern corner of the Township of Gayhurst, and thence by the prolongation of the south-western line of the said Township to the

Province line,—and on the east by the Province line; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniories of Jolliet, Saint 50 Etienne, Sainte Marie, Saint Joseph, Vaudreuil, Aubert-Gallion,

and Aubin-Delisle and the Townships of Frampton, Cranbourne, 51 Watford, Standon, Ware, Jersey, Marlow, Linière and Risborough.

County of Lotbinière.

10. The County of Lotbinière shall be bounded on the north-east by the County of Dorchester as above described,—on the north-west 2 by the River St. Lawrence,—on the south-east partly by the County of Dorchester as above described, and partly by the Townships of 4 Leeds, Nelson, Somerset and the River Bécancour,—and on the south-west by the south-western line of the Seigniory of Saint Jean 6 Deschaillons prolonged to the River Bécancour; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniories of Tilly, Desplaines, Bonsecours, 8 Gaspé, Maranda, Sainte Croix, Lotbinière and Saint Jean Deschaillons, with their augmentations and the augmentation of the 10 Township of Somerset.

County of Megantic.

11. The County of Megantic shall be bounded on the north-east by 12 the County of Beauce as above described,—on the north-west by the Connty of Lotbinière and the County of Dorchester, as above des-14 cribed,—and on the south-west and south be the Townships of Stanfold, Arthabaska, Chester, Wolfestown, Garthby, Stratford, 16 Winslow and Whitton; the said County so bounded comprising the Townships of Somerset, Nelson, Halifax, Inverness, Leeds, Ireland, 18 Thetford, Broughton, Colraine, Price, Adstock, Tring, Lambton, Forsyth, Aylmer, Shenley, Dorset, and Gayhurst.

County of Nicolet. 12. The County of Nicolet shall be bounded on the north-east by the County of Lotbinière as above described,—on the north-west by 22 the River St. Lawrence,—on the south-west by the south-western line of the Seigniory of Nicolet and its augmentation,—and on the 24 south-east of the Township of Wendover, the augmentation of the Township of Aston, and the Township of Aston as far as the River 26 Bécancour, and thence by the middle of the River Bécancour upwards as far as the County of Lotbinière; the said County so 28 bounded comprising the Seigniory of Nicolet and its augmentation, the Parishes of St. Grégoire, Bécancour, Gentilly, Sainte Gertrude, 30 St. Pierre les Becquets, and the continuations of the said Parishes and Seigniories, to the limits aforesaid, and the Townships of Mad-32 dington and Blandford.

County of Yamaska.

13. The County of Yamaska shall be bounded on the east by the 34 County of Nicolet,—on the north by the River St. Lawrence,—on the west by the north-eastern line of the Seigniory of Bonsecours 36 from la Baie de Lavallières to the River Yamaska, thence by the said River as far as the north-eastern line of the Seigniory of St. 38 Charles, and thence by the said north-eastern line of the said Seigniory,—on the south by the rear lines of the Seigniories of de 40 Guire and Pierreville, the River Yamaska and the rear line of the Seigniory of Courval; the said County so bounded comprising the 42 whole of the Seigniories of la Baie du Febvre, Courval, Lussaudière, Pierreville, Saint François and its augmentation, that part of Laval-44 lières (otherwise called Saint Michel d'Yamaska) which lies south of la Baie de Lavallières, Bourgmarie East and Deguire, the 46 augmentation of Upton and the Gore of Wendover.

County of Drummond.

14. The County of Drummond shall be bounded on the east by 48 the County of Lotbinière and the County of Megantic,—on the north by the Counties of Nicolet and Yamaska,—on the west by the 50 western lines of the Township of Upton,—on the south by the

southern lines of the Townships of Upton and Acton, -on the south-2 east by the south-eastern lines of the Townships of Durham, Kingsey, Warwick and Arthabaska; the said County so bounded comprising 4 the Townships of Aston and its augmentation, the Gore of Aston, Bulstrode and its augmentation, Stanford, Arthabaska, Warwick,

6 Horton, Wendover, Simpson, Kingsey, Durham, Wickham, Grantbam, Upton and Acton.

15. The County of Sherbrooke shall be bounded on the north-east County of by the County of Megantic and the County of Beauce, as above

10 described,—on the north-west by the County of Drummond,—on the west by the Township of Ely and the Township of Stukely,—on 12 the south by the northern line of the Township of Hatley, -again

- on the west by the eastern line of the said Township of Hatley,-14 again on the south by the northern line of the Township of Barnston and of the Township of Barford,—and again on the west by the
- 16 castern line of the said Township of Barford,—and again on the south and south-east by the Province line; the said County so

18 bounded comprising the Townships of Ascot, (except the Town of Sherbrooke according to the boundaries hereinafter established,)

20 Eaton, Compton, Orford, Brompton, Stoke, Melbourne, Windsor, Shipton, Tingwick, Chester, Wolfestown, Garthby, Stratford, Ham,

Watton, Weedon, Dudswell, Winslow, Lingwick, Whitton,
 Westbury, Hampden, Marston, Newport, Ditton, Chesham, Clinton,
 Aukland, Bury, Oulney, Clifton, Hereford, Spalding, Ditchfield,

Woburn, Emberton and Drayton, with all the gores and augmenta-26 tions of the said Townships.

16. The County of Stanstead shall be bounded on the north by the County of 28 Township of Stukely,—then on the north and on the east by the Stanstead. County of Sherbrooke,—on the south by the Province line,—and on

30 the west by the Townships of Sutton and Brome; the said County so bounded comprising the Townships of Hatley, Barnston, Barford,

32 Stanstead, Bolton and Potton, with all the gores and augmentations of the said Townships.

17. The County of Missiskoui shall be bounded on the north by County of the Township of Farnham and the Township of Brome, on the

36 east by the County of Stanstead,—on the south by the Province line,—and on the west by Missiskoui Bay and the Seigniories of 38 Novan and Sabrevois as far as the south-western line of the augmentation of Monnoir, and by the south-western line and the eastern line 40 of the said augmentation of Monnoir, as far as the Township of

Farnham; the said County so bounded comprising the Township of 42 Sutton, the Seigniory of Saint Armand, and the Townships of Dunham and Stanbridge, with all the gores and augmentations of

44 the said Townships.

18. The County of Shefford shall be bounded on the north by the County of 46 County of Drummond,—on the east partly by the County of Sherbrooke and partly by the County of Stanstead,—on the south partly 48 by the County of Staustead and partly by the County of Missiskoui, on the west by the augmentation of Monnoir, on the north-east 50 by the Seigniory of St. Hyacinthe,—on the west by the said Seigniory of St. Hyacinthe, and again on the north-east by the

Sherbrooke.

western line of the Seigniory of Ramsay as far as the southern corner thereof, and thence by the eastern line of the said Seigniory as far as the County of Drummond; the said County so bounded comprising the Townships of Ely, Stukely, Brome, Shefford, Roxton, Milton, Granby and Farnham, with all the gores and augmentations of the said Townships.

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County of Richelieu.

19. The County of Richelieu shall be bounded on the east by the Baie de la Vallières and the County of Yamaska,—on the north by 8 the River St. Lawrence,—on the west by the eastern line of the Seigniory of Contreceur as far as the River Richelieu, thence by 10 the said River upwards as far as the south-western line of the Seigniory of St. Charles upon the said River, thence by the said south- 12 western line as far as the rear line of the said Seigniory, thence by the said rear line as far as the north-eastern line of the said Seigniory 14 of St. Charles, thence by the said north-eastern line as far as the rear line of the Seigniory of St. Denis, thence by the said rear line 16 as far as the line between the Seigniories of St. Hyacinthe and St. Ours, thence by the said line as far as the River Yamaska, thence 18 by the middle of the said River downwards as far as the County of Yamaska; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniories of 20 St. Ours and its augmentation, St. Denis, St. Charles on the River Richelieu, Sorel and its augmentation, and the gore on the north- 22 side of the Baie de La Valières, Bourchemin on the west of the River Yamaska, Bourgmarie west and Bonsecours, including the 24 following Islands in the River St. Lawrence, that is to say: Isles Cochon, Madame, Ronde, de Grace, aux Ours, and the Islands com- 26 monly called Battures à la Carpe, and les Isles du Sable, de Moine and du Basque, and the Islands in the River Richelieu or Chambly 28 nearest to the County of Richelieuand wholly or partly opposite thereto.

County of St. Hyacinthe.

20. The County of Saint Hyacinthe shall be bounded on the north-east by the County of Yamaska and the County of Drummond,— 32 on the east by the County of Shefford,—on the west partly by the County of Shefford and partly by the augmentation of Monnoir and 34 the north-eastern line of the Seigniory of Monnoir,—and on the north-west by the rear line and the north-eastern line of the Seigniory 36 of Rouville, and by the County of Richelieu; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniories of Ramsay, Bourchemin on the 38 east of the River Yamaska, and St. Hyacinthe.

County of Rouville.

21. The County of Rouville shall be bounded on the north-east 40 by the County of Richelieu,—on the east by the County of St. Hyacinthe, the County of Shefford and the County of Missiskoui,—42 on the south by the Province line,—and on the west by the River Richelieu, including all the Islands in the said River nearest to the 44 County of Rouville; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniories of Rouville, Chambly East, Monnoir and its augmenta-46 tion, Bleury, Sabrevois, Noyan and Foucault.

County of Verchères.

22. The County of Verchères shall be bounded on the north-48 west by the River St. Lawrence,—on the north-cast by the County of Richelieu,—on the cast by the River Richelieu or Chambly,—and on 50 the south-west by the Seigniories of Boucherville, Montarville and

Chambly west; the said County so bounded comprising the Seignio-2 ries of Contrecœur, Bellevue, Verchères, Saint Blain, Guillodière, La Trinité or Cap Saint Michel, Varennes, Belœil and its augmenta-4 tion, Cournoyer, and all the Islands in the River St. Lawrence opposite the County of Verchères, except Isle Bouchard.

23. The County of Chambly shall be bounded on the north-west County of by the River St. Lawrence, on the south-east by the River Chambly.

8 Richelieu or Chambly, including all the Islands in the River St. Lawrence and in the River Richelieu or Chambly nearest to the 10 said County and wholly or partly opposite thereto,—on the southwest by the north-eastern line of the Seigniory of Laprairie, the

12 south-eastern line of the said Seigniory and the north-eastern line of the Seigniory of de Léry, - and on the north-east by the Coun-14 ty of Verchères; the said County so bounded comprising the Seig-

niories of Boucherville, Montarville, Longueuil, the Fief Tramblay, 16 Chambly west, and the Barony of Longueuil, and all other places

included by the boundaries aforesaid.

24. The County of Laprairie shall be bounded on the north-west County of by the River St. Lawrence,—on the south-east by the south-eastern Laprairie.

20 line of the Seigniory of Chateauguay, the prolongation of the northeastern line of the said Seigniory as far as the Seigniory of St.

22 George, the north line of the said Seigniory of St. George and of the Township of Sherrington as far as the Seigniory of Laprairie,

24 the south-western line of the Seigniory of Laprairie to the rear line thereof, and the said rear line as far as the County of Chambly and

26 by the said County of Chambly,-on the north-east by the said County of Chambly,-and on the south-west by the Seigniory of

28 Beauharnois, the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniories of Laprairie de la Magdeleine, Sault-Saint-Louis, part of Lasalle 30 and Chateauguay, and the Islands in the River St. Lawrence nearest

to the County of Laprairie, and wholly or partly opposite thereto.

25. The County of Acadie shall be bounded on the north-west by County of the County of Laprairie as above described,—on the south by the

34 Province line,—on the east by the River Richelieu or Chambly, on the north-east by the County of Chambly,—and on the south-

36 west by the north-eastern line of the Township of Hemmingford and of part of the Seigniory of Beauharnois; the said County so bound-

38 ed comprising the Seigniories of Lacolle and de Léry, part of Lasalle, and the Township of Sherrington, with the Seigniories and

40 places called St. George, St. Normand, St. James, Thwaite, and all other places included by the boundaries aforesaid, and all the Islands

42 in the River Richelieu or Chambly nearest to the County of Acadie and wholly or partly opposite thereto.

44 26. The County of Beauharnois shall be bounded on the northeast by the County of Laprairie and the County of Acadie as above

46 described,—on the south by the Province line,—on the south-west by the Townships of Hinchinbrooke and Godmanchester,—and on

48 the north-west by the River St. Lawrence, including Grande Isle and all the Islands nearest to the said County and wholly or partly 50 opposite thereto; the said County so bounded comprising the Seig-

niory of Beauharnois and the Township of Hemmingford.

Beauharnois.

County of Huntingdon.

27. The County of Huntingdon shall be bounded on the east by the County of Beauharnois as above described,—on the south by the Province line,—and on the northwest by the River St. Lawrence, including all the Islands nearest to the County of Huntingdon and wholly or partly opposite thereto; the said County so bounded comprising the Townships of Hinchinbrooke and Godmanchester, with Dundee and the Indian Tract to the west thereof, extending to the Indian Village of St. Regis inclusively, along the Province line.

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County of Vaudreuil.

28. The County of Vaudreuil shall be bounded on the north and north-east by the River Ottawa,—on the south by the River St. 10 Lawrence,—on the west by the line separating Upper Canada from Lower Canada, and shall include Isle Perrot and all the Islands in 12 the River Ottawa and the River St. Lawrence nearest to the said County and wholly or partly opposite thereto; the said County so 14 bounded comprising the Seigniories of Vaudreuil, Rigaud, Soulanges, and Nouvelle Longueuil, Isle Perrot and the Township of Newton 16 and its augmentation.

County of Ottawa,

29. The County of Ottawa shall be bounded on the east by the 18 eastern line of the Seigniory of Petite Nation as far as the rear thereof, and by the western line of the Township of Harrington pro- 20 longed until it meets the line of the County of Lachenaye hereinafter described, and thence towards the north by the County of Lachenaye 22 to the limits of the Province, -on the west by the northern and western limits of the Province,—and on the south and south-west by 24 the Grand or Ottawa River throughout its whole length as far as Lake Temiscamingue, and from the head of the said Lake by a true 26 north line to the limits of the Hudson's Bay Territory, including all the Islands in the Grand or Ottawa River and Lake Temiscamingue 28 wholly or partly opposite to the county of Ottawa; the county of Ottawa so bounded comprising the Seigniory of Petite Nation, the Townships 30 of Lochaber and its augmentation, Buckingham, Templeton, Hull, Eardly, Onslow, Bristol, Clarendon, Litchfield, Mansfield, Grand 32 Calumet and Alumette Island, the Townships Ponsonby, Amherst, Rippon, Derry, Portland, Wakefield, Masham, Aldfield, Thorne, 34 Waltham, Chichester, Sheen, Esher, Aberdeen, Hastings, Aberford, Kirkiby, Labouchere, Gladstone, Graham, Low, Denholm, Bowman, 36 Picanoka, Hincks, Bigelow, Aylwin, Wright, Northfield, Blake, Bouchette, Wabassee, Dudley, Notowese, Kensington, Bouthillier, 38 Kiamica, Egan, Aumond, Merritt, Campbell, Pontefract and Suffolk, and all the Townships included by the boundaries aforesaid, and north 40 of the Grand or Ottawa River.

County of Argenteuil.

30. The County of Argenteuil shall be bounded on the west by 42 the County of Ottawa as above described,—on the south by the River Ottawa,—on the north by the County of Lachenaye as herein-44 after described,—on the east by a line drawn from the Baie de Carillon at the south-western corner of the lot of land now or lately 46 occupied by Joseph Richer, and continued along the western line of the said lot of land to the rear of the concessions of the Baie de 48 Carillon, thence following the rear line of the lands in the said Concession, as far as the western line of the Seigniory of the Lake of the 50 Two Mountains, thence along the said line as far as the northern line of the Township of Gore, thence by the said line of the said Town-52

ship as far as the Township of Wentworth, and thence towards the north 2 by the eastern line of the Townships of Wentworth, Howard and Beresford, as far as the said County of Lachenaye, including all the 4 Islands nearest to the County of Argenteuil and wholly or partly opposite thereto; the said County so bounded comprising the Townships 6 of Grenville and its augmentation, Chatham, Gore, Wentworth, Harrington, Howard, Arundel, Grandison and Beresford, and the Seig-8 niory of Argenteuil, except that part thereof which is excluded from the said County according to the boundaries aforesaid, and 10 which makes part of the Parish or Mission of St. Placide.

31. The County of Two Mountains shall be bounded on the east 12 and north-east by the south-western line of the Seigniory of Blainville and of the augmentation of Mille-Isles and by the rear line of the 14 augmentation of the Seigniory of the Lake of the Two Mountains,on the west by the County of Argenteuil as above described,—and on 16 the south by the Grand or Ottawa River, including Isle Bizard and all the Islands in the Grand or Ottawa River nearest to the County of Two 18 Mountains and wholly or partly opposite thereto; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniories of River du Chêne, the Lake of 20 the Two Mountains and its augmentations, Isle Bizard, and that part of Argenteuil hereinbefore excluded from the County of Argen-22 teuil and forming part of the Parish or Mission of Saint Placide.

Two Moun-

32. The County of Terrebonne shall be bounded on the north-east County of 24 by the south-western line of the Seigniory of Lachenaye as far as the rear thereof, thence westward by the rear line of the augmentation of 26 Terrebonne, as far as the north-eastern line of the Township of Abercrombie, thence along the said line to the rear thereof, and thence 28 along the north-eastern line of the Township of Morin, to the boundary of the County of Argenteuil as above described,—on the south-30 west by the said County of Argenteuil and the County of Two Mountains as above described, -- and on the south-east by that 32 branch of the Ottawa River commonly called the River des Prairies, including the Island and Seigniory of Isle Jesus, and all the 34 Islands in the said River nearest to the County of Terrebonne and wholly or partly opposite thereto; the said County so bounded 36 comprising the Seigniories of Isle Jesus, Terrebonne, Desplaines, Lacorne, Blainville, the augmentation of Mille Isles, the Township of 38 Abercrombie and the Township of Morin.

Terrebonne.

33. The County of Lachenaye shall be bounded on the south-west 40 by the County of Terrebonne, the County of Argenteuil, and the County of Ottawa as above described,—on the south-east by that 42 branch of the Ottawa River commonly called the River des Prairies, and by the River St. Lawrence, including the Islands nearest to the 44 said County, and wholly or partly opposite thereto,—on the north-east by the south-western line of the Seigniory of St. Sulpice, as far as the 46 Township of Rawdon, thence by the rear line of the Seigniory of L'Assomption or Saint Ours as far as the southern corner of the said 48 Township of Rawdon, thence by the south-western line of the said Township, prolonged to the limits of the Province, -and on the north-50 west by the limits of the Province; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniory of Lachenaye, the Seigniory of L'Assomption, 52 commonly called Saint Ours, the Seigniory of Repentiguy, and the Townships of Kilkenny, Wexford, Carrick and Doncaster.

County of Lachenaye. County of Assumption.

34. The County of Assumption shall be bounded on the south-west by the County of Lachenaye as above described,—on the south-east by 2 the River St. Lawrence, including Isle Bouchard and all the Islands nearest to the County of Assumption and wholly or partly opposite 4 thereto,—on the north-west by the limits of the Province,—and on the north-east by the north-eastern line of the Seigniory of Lavaltrie and 6 its augmentation, the north-eastern line of the Township of Kildare and its augmentation prolonged as far as the north-western corner of 8 the Seigniory of Daillebout, thence by the rear line of the Seigniory of Daillebout to the north-eastern corner thereof, and thence by a line 10 drawn astronomically north-west to the limits of the Province; the said County so bounded comprising Isle Bouchard, the Seigniories of 12 Lavaltrie (and its augmentation,) and Saint Sulpice, and the Townships of Rawdon, Chertsey, Kildare (and its augmentations,) and 14 Cathcart.

County of Montreal.

35. The County of Montreal shall comprise all the Island of 16 Montreal, except the City of Montreal as now bounded, with all the Islands nearest to the said County and wholly or partly opposite 18 thereto, except Isle Bizard; the said County so bounded comprising the Parish of Montreal, except the City of Montreal, and the 20 Parishes of Sainte Anne, Sainte Geneviève, Pointe Claire, Lachine, Sault au Recollet, Saint Laurent, Rivière des Prairies, Pointe aux 22 Trembles, and Longue Pointe.

County of Berthier.

36. The County of Berthier shall be bounded on the south-west 24 by the County of Assumption as above described,—on the north-west by the limits of the Province,—on the south-east by the River St. 26 Lawrence, including Isle St. Ignace and Isle du Pads, and all other Islands nearest to the County of Berthier and wholly or partly opposite 28 thereto,—and on the north-east by the north-east line of Fief du Sablé or York, prolonged on the one hand towards the south-east as 30 far as the River St. Lawrence, and on the other hand towards the north-west to the limits of the Province; the said County so bound-32 ed comprising the Islands Saint Ignace and du Pads, the Seigniories of Lanoraye, Dautré and their augmentations, Daillebout, Ramsay, 34 Berthier and its augmentation, du Sablé or Nouvelle York, Maskinongé West on the River St. Lawrence, the Settlement commonly 36 called St. Gabriel, and the Township of Brandon.

County of St. Maurice.

37. The County of Saint Maurice shall be bounded on the north-38 west by the County of Berthier as above described,—on the northeast by the River St. Maurice until it meets the south-western line 40 of the Seigniory of Cap de la Magdeleine, and thence by the said line prolonged to the limits of the Province,—on the north-west by 42 the limits of the Province,—and on the south-east by the River St. Lawrence, including all the Islands nearest to the County of Three-44 Rivers and wholly or partly opposite thereto, but excluding the Town and Parish of Three-Rivers as ascertained and recognized by this Act; 46 the said County so bounded comprising the north-eastern part of Maskinongé, the Fiefs and Seigniories of Lanaudière, Saint Jean, 48 Grandpré, Grosbois or Yamachiche, Dumontier, Gatineau and its augmentation, Saint Maurice, Saint Etienne, Pointe du Lac, and 50 others, as far as the Parish of Three-Rivers as hereinafter described, the Townships of Hunterstown, Caxton and its augmentation, and 51

Shawenigan, and all the Islands in the River St. Lawrence or in the 2 River St. Maurice nearest to the said County and opposite thereto, but excluding the Town and Parish of Three-Rivers as hereinafter 4 described.

38. The County of Champlain shall be bounded on the south-west County of 6 by the County of St. Maurice, as above described, and by the Town Champlain. and Parish of Three-Rivers,-on the north-east by the north-eastern 8 line of the Seigniory of Ste. Anne, and its augmentation, and by the prolongation thereof to the limits of the Province,—on the north-west 10 by the limits of the Province,—and on the south-east by the River St. Lawrence, including the Islands nearest to the said County and 12 wholly or partly opposite thereto; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniories of Sainte Anne and its augmentation, Dor-

39. The County of Portneuf shall be bounded on the north-east County of by the south-western lines of the Seigniories of Sillery and St. Portneuk

14 villiers, Sainte Marie, Batiscan, Champlain and its augmentations,

Cap de la Magdeleine, and the Township of Radnor.

18 Gabriel and by the prolongation thereof to the limits of the Province, -on the south-west by the County of Champlain as above described,

20 -on the north-west by the limits of the Province, and on the southeast by the River St. Lawrence; the said County so bounded com-

22 prising the Seigniories of Gaudarville, Fossambault, Demaures or Saint Augustin, Guillaume Bonhomme, Neuville or Pointe aux 24 Trembles, Bourg Louis; Belaire and its augmentation, d'Auteuil, Jacques Cartier, the Barony of Portneuf, Perthuis, Deschambault,

26 La Chevrotière, La Tesserie, Francheville, les Grondines east and west, and their augmentations, and the Townships of Alton, Mon-

40. The County of Quebec shall be bounded on the south-west by County of 30 the County of Portneuf as far as the forty-eighth degree of north lati- Quebcc. tude,—on the north-east by the south-western line of the Seigniory 32 of la Côte de Beaupré, until it meets the south-eastern line of the

Township of Tewkesbury, thence towards the north-east by the said 34 south-eastern line as far as the eastern corner of the said Township, thence towards the north by the north-eastern line of the said Town-36 ship to the rear thereof, and thence by the prolongation of the said

line as far as the said forty-eighth degree of north latitude, -on the 38 north-west by the parallel of the said forty-eighth degree of north latitude,—and on south-east by the River St. Lawrence, excluding the

40 City of Quebec as now bounded; the said County so bounded comprising the Seigniories de Beauport and its augmentation, Notre 42 Dame des Anges, Dorsainville, Lepinay, Fief Saint Ignace, Fief

Hubert, the Seigniories of Sillery and Saint Gabriel, and the Town-44 ships of Stoneham and Tewkesbury, with those portions of the Parishes of Quebec, Notre Dame des Anges and Saint Roch de

46 Quebec not included in the City of Quebec, and all other tracts of land comprised within the boundaries of the said County as above 48 described, except the City of Quebec.

28 tauban and Gosford.

41. The County of Montmorency shall be bounded on the west by County of 50 the County of Quebec,—on the north by the parallel of the forty- Montmorency. eighth degree of north latitude,—on the east by a line to be drawn

from Cape de l'Abatis on the River St. Lawrence, towards the northwest and parallel to the line of Beauport as far as the limits of the said County,—on the south by the River St. Lawrence, including the Island of Orleans and all the Islands nearest to the County of Montmorency and wholly or partly opposite thereto; the said County so bounded comprising the Parishes of Saint Pierre, Saint Jean, Sainte Famille, Saint Laurent and Saint François, Isle Madame, and Isle aux Reaux, and the Parishes of Saint Féréol, Saint Joachim, Sainte Anne, Chateau Richer, Laval and Ange Gardien.

County of Saguenay.

42. The County of Saguenay shall be bounded on the west by the 10 County of Montmorency,—on the north by the parallel of the fortyeighth degree of north latitude, as far as the prolongation of the east- 12 ern line of the Township of St. Jean on the River Saguenay, and by the said prolongation and the said line as far as the River Saguenay, 14 and thence towards the west by a line to be drawn astronomically north to the limits of the Province,—and on the south-east, from the 16 County of Montmorency downwards, by the River St. Lawrence, inincluding Isle aux Coudres, Hare Island, and all the Islands nearest 18 to the said County and wholly or partly opposite thereto; the said County so bounded comprising part of the Seigniory of Beaupré, the 20 Seigniories du Gouffre, des Eboulemens, Murray Bay and Mount Murray, Isle aux Coudres, Hare Island, and the Townships of Set-22 trington, Callières, Saguenay, Tadoussac, Bergeronnes, Escoumain, d'Iberville, Laval, De-Latour and Betsiamites, and the Seigniory of 24 Mille-Vaches or Portneuf, the Terra Firma of Mingan, the Islets of Mingan, the Island and Seigniory of Anticosti, and all other tracts of 26 land and Islands comprised within the limits and description aforesaid. 28

County of Montagnais.

43. The County of Montagnais shall be bounded on the southwest by the County of Portneuf,—on the south by the County of 30 Quebec and the County of Montmorency, as far as the prolongation of the western line of the Township of Simard,—on the east by the 32 said prolongation and the said line as far as the north-western corner of the Township of Simard to the limits of the Province, and on 34 the north by the limits of the Province; the said County so bounded comprising the Townships of Ouatchouan, Metabetchouan, Caron, 36 De Mesy, Plessis, Kenongami, Labarre, Signaï, Delisle, Taché and Bourget.

County of Bagot.

44. The County of Bagot shall be bounded on the south by the County of Montmorency and the County of Saguenay as above des-40 cribed,—on the south-east and on the east by the County of Saguenay,—on the west by the County of Montagnais,—and on the north 42 by the limits of the Province; the said County so bounded comprising the Townships of Jonquière, Simard, Tremblay, Harvey, Chicoutimi, 44 Laterrière, Bagot, Simon, Lartigue and Saint Jean, and all other Townships or Settlements included by the boundaries aforesaid.

City of Montreal. 45. The City of Montreal shall be comprised within its present limits.

City of Que-

46. The City of Quebec shall be comprised within its present limits.

47. The Town of Three-Rivers shall, for the purposes of this Act, 2 comprise the Town of Three-Rivers, commonly so called, and the Parish of Three-Rivers as it now subsists for ecclesiastical purposes, 4 and including the several concessions upon the River St. Lawrence. and backwards, as far as the tract included for ecclesiastical purposes 6 in the Parish of Pointe du Lac, and up to the Fief St. Etienne.

Town of Three-Rivers.

48. The Town of Sherbrooke shall, for the purposes of this Act, 8 be bounded and limited so as to comprise the following tract of land, that is to say: all that part of the Township of Ascot which lies in 10 the fifth and sixth ranges of the said Township, from lot number ten

Town of Sherbrooke.

- to lot number seventeen inclusively, and in the seventh and eighth 12 ranges thereof from lot number fourteen to lot number twenty-two inclusively, and all that part of the Township of Orford which lies
- 14 in the first and second ranges thereof from lot number seven to lot number sixteen inclusively, the portions and sections aforesaid com-

16 prising and including the said Town of Sherbrooke and the adjacent Village of Lennoxville and their vicinage respectively: Provided Proviso: 18 always, that the qualification of voters at elections of Members for Qualification

the said Town of Sherbrooke (as hereinbefore described and bounded) 20 shall be the same as that required for voters in the other Towns of this Province.

UPPER CANADA.

- 22 1. The County of Glengarry shall consist of the Townships of Counties of Charlottenburgh, Kenyon, Lochiel, Lancaster and the Indian reser. Glengarry. 24 vation adjoining the said Townships of Charlottenburgh, and Kenyon.
- 2. The County of Stormont shall consist of the Townships of Stormont. 26 Finch, Osnabruck, Roxborough and that portion of the Township of Cornwall not included within the limits of the Town of the same 28 name.
- 3. The County of Prescott shall consist of the Townships of Prescott. 30 Alfred, Caledonia, Hawkesbury East, Hawkesbury West, Longueuil and Plantaganet.
- 4. The County of Russell shall consist of the Townships of Russell. Clarence, Cumberland, Cambridge and Russell.
- 5. The County of Carleton shall consist of the Townships of Carleton. Fitzroy, Goulburn, Gower North, Gloucester, Huntley, March, 36 Marlboro', Osgood, Tarbolton and that portion of the Township of Nepean not included within the limits of the Town of Bytown.
- 6. The County of Renfrew shall consist of the Townships of Renfrew. Admaston, Blithefield, Bagot, Bromley, Horton, Lavant, Darling, 40 McNab, Pembroke, Ross, Stafford and Westmeath.
- 7. The County of Lanark shall consist of the Townships of Lanark. 42 Montague, Elmsley North, Burgess North, Sherbrooke North, Sherbrooke South, Bathurst, Drummond, Beckwith, Dalhousie, 44 Lanark and Ramsay.
- 8. The County of Dundas shall consist of the Townships of Dundas. 6 Mountain, Matilda, Winchester and Williamsburgh.

Grenville.

9. The County of Grenville shall consist of the Townships of Edwardsburgh, Wolford, Gower South, Oxford and Augusta, 2 including the Town of Prescott.

Leeds.

10. The County of Leeds shall consist of the Townships of 4 Crosby North, Crosby South, Burgess South, Bastard, Elmsley South, Kitley, Leeds, Lansdowne, Escott, Yonge, and that portion 6 of the Township of Elizabeth Town not included within the limits of the Town of Brockville.

Frontenac.

11. The County of Frontenac shall consist of the Townships of 8 Wolfe Island, Clarendon, Barrie, Palmerston, Kennebec, Olden, Oso, Hinchinbroke, Bedford, Portland, Loughborough, Storrington, 10 Pittsburg, including Howe Island, and that portion of the Township of Kingston, not included within the limits of the City of that name. 12

Addington.

12. The County of Addington shall consist of the Townships of Amherst Island, Camden, Ernestown, Kalader, Anglesea, and 14 Sheffield.

Lenor.

13. The County of Lenox shall consist of the Townships of 16 Adolphustown, Fredericksburgh, Fredericksburgh additional, and Richmond.

Prince Edward. 14. The County of Prince Edward shall consist of the Townships of Athol, Ameliasburg, Hillier, Hallowell, Marysburgh, including 20 the Town of Picton, and Sophiasburgh.

Hastings.

15. The County of Hastings shall consist of the Townships of 22 Lake, Tudor, Grimsthorpe, Marmora, Madoc, Elzevir, Rawdon, Huntingdon, Hungerford, Sidney, Thurlow, including the Town of 24 Belleville and Tyendenaga.

Northumberland. 16. The County of Northumberland shall consist of the Townships 26 of Murray, Cramahe, Haldimand, Hamilton including the Town of Coburg, Seymour, Percy, Alnwick and Monaghan South.

Durham.

17. The County of Durham shall consist of the Townships of Hope including the Town of Port Hope, Clarke, Darlington, Cavan, 30 Manvers and Cartwright.

Peterborough,

18. The County of Peterborough shall consist of the Townships 32 of Belmont, Methuen, Burleigh, Dummer, Harvey, Douro, Smith, Monaghan North, Asphodel and Otonabee. 34

Victoria.

19. The County of Victoria shall consist of the Townships of Mariposa, Ops, Emily, Ennismore, Eldon, Fenelon, Bexley, 36 Verulam and Somerville.

Simcoe.

20. The County of Simcoe shall consist of the Townships of 38 Orillia North, Orillia South, Matchedash, Tay, Medonte, Oro, Vespra, Flos, Tiny, Sunnidale, Nottawasaga, Gwillimbury West, 40 Essa, Tecumseth, Adjala, Tosorontio, Mulmur and Mono.

York-four Ridings. 21. The County of York shall be divided into four Ridings which 42 shall be designated, the North Riding of the County of York, the South Riding of the County of York, the East Riding of the County 44 of York and the West Riding of the County of York.

The North Riding of the County of York shall consist of the North Riding. 2 Townships of Thora, Mara, Rama, Uxbridge, Reach, Gwillimbury East, Gwillimbury North, Scott, Brock, Georgina and Whitchurch.

The South Riding of the County of York shall consist of the South Riding. Townships of Etobicoke, King, Vaughan and that portion of the 6 Township of York not included within the limits of the City of Toronto or the liberties thereof.

- The East Riding of the County of York shall consist of the East Riding. Townships of Markham, Pickering, Scarboro' and Whitby.
- The West Riding of the County of York shall consist of the West Riding. Townships of Albion, Caledon, Chinguacousy, Toronto and Toronto 12 Gore.
- 22. The County of Halton shall consist of the Townships of Halton. 14 Erin, Esquesing, Trafalgar, Nasagaweya and Nelson.
- 23. The County of Waterloo shall consist of the Townships of Waterloo. 16 North Dumfries, including the Town of Galt, Waterloo, Wilmot, Woolwich, Wellesley, Peel and Maryborough.
- 24. The County of Brant shall consist of the Townships of Brant. Brantford, including the Town of that name, Onondaga, Tuscarora, 20 Oakland, South Dumfries and East Burford.
- 25. The County of Wellington shall consist of the Townships of Wellington. 22 Puslinch, Guelph, Nichol, Garafraxa and Eramosa.
- 26. The County of Peel shall consist of the Townships of Peel. Normanby, Egremont, Proton, Melanchton, Minto, Arthur, Luther 26 and Amaranth.
- 27. The County of Grey shall consist of the Townships of Derby, Grev. 28 Sydenham, Saint Vincent, Sullivan, Holland, Euphrasia, Collingwood, Bentinck, Glenelg, Artemisia and Osprey.
- 28. The County of Bruce shall consist of the Townships of Huron, Bruce. Kinloss, Culross, Carrick, Kincardine, Greenock, Brant, Bruce, 32 Saugeen, Eldersly and Arran.
- 29. The County of Huron shall consist of the Townships of Huron. 34 Hay, Stephen, McGillivray, Biddulph, Usborne, Howick, McKillop, Grey, Morris, Turnberry, Ashfield, Wawanash, Colborne, Hullett, 36 Tuckersmith, Stanley, Goderich, including the Town of that name.
- 30. The County of Perth shall consist of the Townships of Penh. 38 Blanchard, Hibbert, Fullarton, Downie, including the Gore of Downie, Logan, Ellice, Easthope North and Easthope South. 40 including the Town of Stratford, Elma, Wallace and Mornington.
- 31. The County of Lambton shall consist of the Townships of Lambton. 42 Bosanquet, Plympton, Warwick, Sarnia, Moore, Enniskillen, Brooke, Sombra, Dawn and Euphemia.
- 32. The County of Kent shall consist of the Townships o Orford, Kent. Howard, Camden, Chatham, Harwich, Dover East, Dover West, 46 Raleigh, Tilbury East, Tilbury West, Romney, and Zone.

Essex.	33. The County of Essex shall consist of the Townships of Mersea, Gosfield, Colchester, Rochester, Maidstone, Maldon, Anderdon and Sandwich, including the Town of that name.	2							
Elgia.	34. The County of Elgin shall consist of the Townships of Ald-								
	borough, Dunwich, Southwold, Yarmouth, Malahide, Delaware, Westminster, Bayham and that portion of the Township of Dorchester south of the River Thames.	6							
Middlesex.	35. The County of Middlesex shall consist of the Townships of Mosa, Ekfrid, Carradoc, Metcalfe, Adelaide, Williams, Lobo, Nissouri, that portion of Dorchester, north of the River Thames,								
	and that portion of the Township of London which is not included within the limits of the Town of that name.								
Norfolk.	36. The County of Norfolk shall consist of the Townships of Houghton, Middleton, Charlotteville, Windham, Townsend, Wood-								
	house, Walsingham, and Long Point and Ryerson's Island in Lake								
Oxford.		16							
02.0.01	37. The County of Oxford shall consist of the Townships of Zorra East, Zorra West, Oxford North, Oxford East, Oxford West, 1								
	Dereham, Norwich, Burford West, Blandford and the Village of Woodstock.	20							
Haldimand.	38. The County of Haldimand shall consist of the Townships of								
	Walpole, Oneida, Seneca, Cayuga, Canborough, Rainham, Dunn, Moulton and Sherbrooke.	22							
Welland.	39. The County of Welland shall consist of the Townships of								
	Pelham, Thorold, Stamford, Crowland, Willoughby, Wainfleet, Humberstone and Bertie.	26							
Lincoln.	40. The County of Lincoln shall consist of the Townships of Grimbsby, Clinton, Louth, Grantham, including the Town of Saint Catherines, Caistor, Gainsborough and that portion of the Township of Niagara not included within the limits of the Town of that name.								
Wentworth.	41. The County of Wentworth shall consist of the Townships of Beverly, Flamboro' East, Flamboro' West, Ancaster, Glanford, Binbrook, Saltsleet, and that portion of the Township of Barton not								
Cities of	42. The City of Toronto shall be comprised within its present	34							
Toronto.	limits.	36							
Hamilton.		38							
Kingston.		40							
Towns of Bytown.	45. The Town of Bytown shall be comprised within its present limits.	42							
London.	46. The Town of London shall be comprised within its present								
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Niagara.		46							
Brockviile.	48. The Town of Brockville shall be comprised within its present limits.	48							

49. The Town of Cornwall shall be comprised within its present Cornwall. 2 limits.

GENERAL PROVISIONS.

II. And be it enacted, that the Counties of Kamouraska, l'Islet, Number of 4 Bellechasse, Dorchester, Beauce, Nicolet, Sherbrooke, Richelieu, members to returned for Saint Hyacinthe, Rouville, Chambly, Laprairie, Acadie, Beauhar-6 nois, Vaudreuil, Ottawa, Two Mountains, Montreal, Terrebonne, L. C. 75. Lachenaye, Assomption, Berthier, St. Maurice, and Portneuf, in 8 Lower-Canada, and the Counties of Glengarry, Carlton, Lanark, Grenville, Leeds, Frontenac, Prince-Edward, Hastings, Northum-10 berland, Durham, Simcoe, Halton, Wentworth, Waterloo, Elgin, Middlesex, Norfolk, Oxford, Welland, Lincoln, and each of the 12 four Ridings of the County of York in Upper-Canada, shall each be respectively represented by two Members in the Legislative Assembly 14 of this Province; the Counties of Gaspé, Bonaventure, Rimousky, Temiscouata, Lotbinière, Megantic, Drummond, Yamaska, Stan-16 stead, Shefford, Missiskoui, Verchères, Huntingdon, Argenteuil, Champlain, Quebec, Montmorency, and Saguenay, in Lower-18 Canada, and the Counties of Stormont, Prescott, Russell, Renfrew, Dundas, Lennox, Addington, Peterborough, Victoria, Wellington, 20 Brant, Perth, Lambton, Kent, Essex, and Haldimand, in Upper-Canada, each, respectively by one Member; the Counties of Bagot 22 and Montagnais, in Lower-Canada, which shall be united for the purposes of this Act, by one Member for the two; the Counties of 24 Peel and Grey in Upper-Canada, which shall be united for the purposes of this Act, by one Member for the two; and the Counties 26 of Huron and Bruce in Upper-Canada, which shall be united for the purposes of this Act by one Member for the two; the Cities of 28 Quebec and Montreal, each, respectively, by three Members; the City of Toronto by two Members; and the Town of Three-Rivers, 30 with the Parish as hereinbefore defined, the Town of Sherbrooke, the City of Hamilton, the City of Kingston, the Town of Bytown, 32 the Town of London, the Town of Niagara, the Town of Brockville, and the Town of Cornwall, each, respectively by one Member; 34 Provided always, that the qualifications of persons entitled to vote at Elections of Members in the said Counties, Ridings, Cities, and 36 Towns, shall respectively remain as they now are, or as fixed by this Act, or as they may be fixed by any other Act passed during 38 the present or any future Session; Provided also, that for all other purposes except those of this Act, the several Cities and Towns in 40 this Province, shall be considered as making part of the County or Riding in which they are situate, in all cases where it is not other-42 wise provided by law.

each place.

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III. And be it enacted, that the divisions of Counties, Ridings, 44 Cities and Towns in this Province, established for the purposes of this Act, shall have their full and entire effect for all the purposes 46 thereof so soon as it shall come into force, but shall not in any manner affect the divisions now existing for the purposes of the Administration 48 of Justice, of the Militin, of the Registration of deeds or other instruments, of Municipal or local affairs, or of any other matter 50 whatsoever, except only for the purposes of this Act, until it shall be otherwise provided by the Legislature; Provided always, that any 52 Act or Acts making provision for any of the matters aforesaid may be

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passed during the present Session of the Provincial Parliament; Provided also, that all Augmentations or Gores of Seigniories, 2 Parishes, Townships or Settlements, and all Towns, Villages, or Reserves for the same, not specially mentioned in this Act, shall be 4 considered as forming part of the County or Riding in which the principal portion of such locality or in the immediate vicinity of which 6 such Town, Village or Reserve, shall be situate, unless such Augmentation, Gore or Settlement, Town, Village or Reserve, shall under 8 the provisions of this Act, form part of some other County or Riding, either as being included therein by name, or according to the bound-10 aries established for such County or Riding.

Repeal of former enactments. IV. And be it enacted, That all Legislative provisions now in 12 force in this Province, or in Upper Canada or Lower Canada respectively, concerning the division of the said Province into Counties, 14 Ridings, Cities and Towns, and Representation of the said Couunties, Ridings, Cities and Towns in the Legislative Assembly, shall be 16 and they are hereby repealed or amended according to the provisions of this Act, from the time when it shall come into force and effect, 18 but in so far only as such provisions may be contrary to those of this Act.

Commencement of this Act. V. And be it enacted, That this Act shall have force and effect from and after the end of the present Provincial Parliament, and not 22 before.