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An Act to provide for the erection of a new  
Circuit in the District of Ottawa to be  
called the "Argenteuil Circuit."

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## An Act to establish a Circuit Court in and for the County of Argenteuil.

**W**HEREAS from the great distance at which that part of the Two Mountains Circuit, which now constitutes the County of Argenteuil for purposes of representation, is situate from the place where the sittings of Circuit Court for the said Two Mountains Circuit are held, the inhabitants of the said place are subjected to serious inconvenience and expense: And whereas it is expedient to detach the said County of Argenteuil from the said Two Mountains Circuit and to form a new Circuit to include and consist of the present County of Argenteuil, and to divide the time now occupied by the sittings of the Court in the Two Mountains Circuit Court, equally between the said Court and the new Circuit hereby established; Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

I. From and after the one  
 thousand eight hundred and fifty day of  
 the twelfth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act to amend the*  
 15 "*Laws relative to the Courts of Original Civil Jurisdiction in Lower Ca-*  
 "*nada,*" as enacts that the Two Mountains Circuit shall include the County  
 of Two Mountains as then constituted, (the said County then comprehending  
 the present County of Argenteuil,) and so much of the said Act as relates  
 20 to the time when the sittings of the Court in and for the said Two Moun-  
 tains Circuit shall be held, shall be and the same is hereby repealed; and  
 from and after the said day the County of Argenteuil now included in  
 the said Two Mountains Circuit shall be separated from the said Circuit and  
 shall from and after the said day form and constitute a Circuit to be called  
 the "Argenteuil Circuit." New Circuit  
formed and  
attached from  
the Two Moun-  
tains Circuit.

25 II. The Circuit Court for the Argenteuil Circuit shall be holden at the  
 County Town of the said County of Argenteuil. Place of hold-  
ing Court.

III. The sittings of the Circuit Court for the Two Mountains Circuit  
 shall, from and after the said day of, one thousand eight  
 hundred and fifty , be held from the 20th to the 24th day, inclusively,  
 30 of each of the months of January, May and September; and the sittings  
 of the Circuit Court for the Argenteuil Circuit shall be held from the  
 26th to the 29th day, inclusively, of each of the months of January, May  
 and September, in each year. Sittings of the  
Court in the  
Two Moun-  
tains and Ar-  
genteuil  
Circuit.

IV. All cases pending in the Circuit Court for the Two Mountains  
 35 Circuit at the time when the said Argenteuil Circuit shall be constituted  
 under this Act, shall be proceeded with and be prosecuted to final judg-  
 ment, and all proceedings after judgment shall be had therein in the said  
 Circuit Court for the Two Mountains Circuit, as if this Act had not been  
 passed. Pending cases  
not affected.