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## BILL.

An Act to detach the Seigniory of  
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## BILL.

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

WHEREAS from the great distance at which the <sup>Preamble,</sup> 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 crossing the River St. Lawrence, opposite the said Seigniory, to attend the Circuit Court of the Montreal Circuit within which the said Seigniory is comprised, it is expedient to detach the said Seigniory from the said Montreal Circuit and annex the same to the Beauharnois Circuit : Be it therefore enacted; &c.

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

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