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An Act to establish Standard Weights for
Hay and Straw.

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Mr. DESAULNIERS.

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An Act to establish a Standard Weight for Hay and Straw.

WHEREAS Standard Weights have been established for grain and vegetables, and it is expedient that they should also be established for Hay and Straw. Preamble.

Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:—

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| 5 | I. From and after the passing of this Act, the following shall be and are hereby declared to be the Standard Weights for Hay and Straw. | Standard Weights fixed for Hay and Straw. |
| | A ton of Timothy or Clover - - - - - 2000 lbs. | |
| | A ton of Straw - - - - - 1500 " | |
| | A bundle of Timothy or Clover with a Timothy band 15 " | |
| 10 | A bundle of Timothy or Clover bound with a withe - 16 " | |
| | A bundle of Straw - - - - - 12 " | |

II. In every contract entered into after this Act comes into force for the sale or delivery of hay and straw, and on every sale and delivery of Hay and Straw, the above weights, shall be the only weights used, unless it is made to appear that the parties have agreed to the contrary. To apply to all transactions after this Act comes into force.

This Act shall apply to Lower Canada only. Application.