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An Act to amend the Parliamentary Representation Act, of 1853.

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An Act further to amend the Parliamentary Representation Act, of 1853.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend "the Parliamentary Representation Act of 1853," Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows : Preamble.
16 V. c. 152.

I. The County of Nicolet, in addition to the several places now comprised therein, shall hereafter also include the Township of Maddington, hereby detached from the County of Arthabaska. County of Nicolet. *

II. The County of Arthabaska, shall comprise all the places now included therein, except the said Township of Maddington, annexed as aforesaid to the County of Nicolet. County of Arthabaska.

III. The County of Rimouski, in addition to the places now comprised therein, shall also include all that part of the present County of Gaspé lying to the west of the eastern line of the seigniory of *La Rivière de la Magdelaine*, prolonged in a direct line to the boundary between the Counties of Gaspé and Bonaventure. County of Rimouski.

IV. The County of Gaspé, shall comprise all the territory now included therein, except the said tract annexed as aforesaid to the County of Rimouski. County of Gaspé.

V. Wherever in any other Act "The Parliamentary Representation Act of 1853," is referred to, such reference shall be understood to be to the "Parliamentary Representation Act of 1853," as amended by "the Parliamentary Representation amendment Act of 1855," and by this Act. Interpretation.