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An Act to provide for the establishment of a
Circuit Court in the County of Sou-
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WHEREAS in consequence of the great distance between the County of Soulanges and Vaudreuil, the place at which the sittings of the Court for the Vaudreuil Circuit are held, the inhabitants of the said County are subjected to serious expense and inconvenience, and in order to provide against such expense and to remedy such inconvenience it is expedient to detach the said County of Soulanges from the Vaudreuil Circuit, and to establish a new Circuit Court for the said County of Soulanges; Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows: Preamble.

I. Upon, from, and after the day on which this Act shall come into force, so much of the Act passed in the 12th year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, "*An Act to amend the laws relative to the Courts of original Civil Jurisdiction in Lower Canada,*" as enacts that the Territory at present constituting the County of Soulanges shall be included within the limits of the Vaudreuil Circuit, and so much of the said Act as relates to the number of sittings of the Court of the said Vaudreuil Circuit, is hereby repealed; and from and after the said day the said County of Soulanges shall constitute a Circuit for judicial purposes to be called the "Soulanges Circuit." Certain parts of 12th Act, cap. 38 repealed.

II. The Circuit Court for the said Soulanges Circuit shall be held at the place to be selected by the Municipal Council of Soulanges for the holding of its regular meetings and quarterly Sessions. Place of sittings of the Court.

III. The Circuit Court for the Vaudreuil Circuit shall be held from the first to the fifth days inclusively of each of the months of March, July, and November; and the said Circuit Court for the said Soulanges Circuit shall be held from the seventh to the tenth day inclusively of the months of March, July, and November in each year. Days for holding Court.

IV. All cases pending in the Circuit Court for the Vaudreuil Circuit at the time when the said Soulanges Circuit shall be constituted under this Act, shall be proceeded with and be prosecuted to final judgment, and all proceeding after judgment shall be had therein in the said Circuit Court for the Vaudreuil Circuit, as if this Act had not been passed. Cases now pending how disposed of.

V. This Act shall come into force on the _____ day of _____ in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-

When this Act shall come into force.