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An Act to erect into a municipality the village of Courville,
in the county of Quebec,

[Assented to 3rd April, 1912.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS, by their petition, the following persons:
J. G. LaRue, physician, Napoléon Chalifour, agent,
Octave Grenier, foreman; François Xavier Giroux, farmer;
Joseph Ménard, joiner and Joseph Giroux, farmer, all rate-
payers residing in the canonical parish of St. Louis de Cour-
ville, have represented that they reside in a territory now
forming part of the canonical parish and school municipality
of St. Louis de Courville, in the county of Quebec, compris-
ing the following territory, to wit:

To be taken from the parish of Notre Dame de Beau-
port in the first range of the said parish; all the numbers of
the cadastre of the said parish from No. 2 to No. 237 exclu-
sive.

All such territory to be taken from that of the parish of
Beauport, forming an area of 894 arpents;

Whereas such territory so constituted and bounded contains
in one of its portions at least 40 inhabited houses, within an
area not exceeding 60 arpents;

Whereas the natural situation and the interest of the inhabi-
tants of the said territory make it desirable that the said
territory be erected into a village municipality;

Whereas the petitioners and other ratepayers residing in the
said territory applied to the council of the county of Quebec
to obtain the appointment of a superintendent to meet the
interested parties and report on the application for the erection
of their territory into a village municipality;

Whereas the superintendent appointed by the said county
council began his operations, and met the interested parties, but
was prevented from making his report because he lost the docu-
ments that were given to him by the county council, among
others the document bearing the signatures required by law
and the certificates of the secretary-treasurer;

Whereas, on account of this mishap, the petitioners and other
ratepayers of St. Louis de Courville are, without any fault
on their part, placed in a situation which the Municipal Code
cannot remedy;

Whereas, under the circumstances, it is in the interest
of the petitioners and the other inhabitants of the territory
in question, that a special act be passed, erecting the terri-
tory hereinafter described into a village municipality, with
the necessary powers for such purpose;

Whereas it is expedient to grant such prayer;

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. All that portion of the municipality of Notre Dame de Beauport, comprising all the lots known and designated on the official cadastre and book of reference of the first range of the said parish as Nos. 2 to 237 exclusive, forming an area of 894 arpents, is detached from the said municipality of the parish of Notre Dame de Beauport and shall cease to form part thereof, and is hereby constituted a new and distinct village municipality under the name of the "Municipality of the village of Courville";

2. The territory of the said village of Courville of irregular form is bounded as follows:

On the north, by the Montmorency river, from the east line of lot No. 237 of the cadastre of Beauport to the line of the present division between the municipalities of St. Gregoire and Beauport; towards the north east, the south east and the south west by the present dividing line between the said municipalities to lot number 226 of the said cadastre, and thence by the brow of the cliff to the east line of lot number 237 of the said cadastre; and towards the west by the said north east line of the said lot number 237 from the brow of the cliff to its point of intersection with the Montmorency river, the point of beginning.

3. The inhabitants and ratepayers of the said municipality of the village of Courville shall constitute a corporation known under the name of "The Corporation of the village of Courville."

4. The municipality of the village of Courville, both as regards the composition of its council and replacing of its councillors, the appointment of the mayor and in all other respects, shall continue to be governed by the provisions of the Municipal Code, in so far as they are not inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

5. The general elections of the municipality of the village of Courville shall take place every year on the first juridical day of February, and articles 5414 to 5424 and 5426 to 5552 inclusively of the Revised Statutes, 1909, respecting municipal elections shall apply *mutatis mutandis* to the village of Courville for future elections.

6. At municipal elections a single poll shall be held in

the public hall for electors for the municipality. Nevertheless when there are more than six hundred municipal electors entered on the valuation roll, other polls may be established so as to equally divide the electors.

First election.

7. The first election of the municipality shall take place during the month following the sanction of this act.

Agreements with adjoining municipalities.

8. The municipality of the village of Courville may enter into agreements with any adjoining municipality to regulate the use of drainage and sewerage pipes and for all other purposes to the advantage of the municipality,

Cost of act.

9. The costs, fees, and disbursements incurred for the passing of this act, shall be borne by the said corporation.

Liability of certain rate-payers.

10. The rate-payers of St. Louis de Courville, shall, notwithstanding the present civil erection, continue to pay their share of the debt of the fabrique of Beauport, for the three years which remain due, in accordance with the apportionment homologated on the 30th June 1910, and now in force.

Coming into force.

11. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

CHAP. 77

An Act to incorporate the municipality of the parish of *St. Pierre de Véronne*, à Pike River.

[Assented to 3rd April, 1912.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS, Alfred Desranleau, Louis Rocheleau, Régis Molleur, and several other ratepayers constituting the majority of the canonical parish of St. Pierre de Véronne, situate partly in the county of Missisquoi and partly in the county of Iberville, have by their petition represented that the said canonical parish, together with lot No 318 of the cadastre of the parish of St. Sébastien consist and at present form part of four different local municipalities which gives rise to serious inconvenience and that it would be advisable that such cononical parish, with the said lot No. 318 of the cadastre of the parish of St. Sébastien, be erected into a separate local municipality, and whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of such petition;

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent of the