

CAP. XLI.

An Act to amend the act 41 Victoria, chapter 5.

[Assented to 21st June, 1886.]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

41 V., c. 5, s. 6, amended. **1.** Section 6 of the act 41 Victoria, chapter 5, is amended by adding at the end thereof, the following words :
 Agricultural divisions A and B of county of Ottawa may be divided into four divisions. "Considering the extent of the agricultural divisions A and B of the said county of Ottawa, the council of agriculture, upon petition of at least twenty of the electors of the said two agricultural divisions A and B of the said county of Ottawa, may permit the formation of new agricultural societies, within the said divisions respectively, to the number of four, and fix the limits thereof."

Coming into force. **2.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

CAP. XLII.

An Act to authorize a certain transfer of property made to the Roman Catholic Episcopal corporation of the diocese of Nicolet by the parish of St. Jean Baptiste de Nicolet.

[Assented to 21st June, 1886.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS His Lordship Elphège Gravel, Bishop of Nicolet, the Very Reverend Philippe Hyppolite Suzor, his Vicar-General and the Reverend Louis Victor Thibaudier, his Secretary, by their petition, and the Roman Catholic free-hold inhabitants of the parish of St. Jean Baptiste de Nicolet, by a resolution to that effect unanimously adopted at a meeting regularly convened and held according to law on the twenty-second of November last, have resolved and petitioned and do petition that the rights and charges of the *Fabrique* and Parish of Saint Jean Baptiste de Nicolet and the property thereunto belonging be transferred to the Roman Catholic Episcopal corporation of the diocese of Nicolet, and it is expedient to grant their prayer ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Fabrique of parish abolished. **1.** There shall no longer be any *fabrique* or church-wardens in the parish of Saint Jean Baptiste de Nicolet.

2. All the moveable and immoveable property, rights, ^{Property} privileges or benefits whatsoever hitherto possessed by ^{vested in R. C.} the said parish or the said *fabrique* are ceded and trans- ^{Episcopal cor-}ferred to the Roman Catholic Episcopal corporation of the ^{poration.} diocese of Nicolet, to be by it owned for ever as its property.

3. The said episcopal corporation assumes at the same ^{Debts, &c., to} time the responsibility of all the obligations and charges ^{be assumed by} of an owner with respect to his property ; it shall alone be ^{R. C. Episcopal} charged with the expense of the maintenance and recon- ^{corporation.}struction of the buildings and it shall never be able to claim any right to compel the parishioners to re-imburse the value of the improvements it shall have made.

4. The parishioners of the said parish shall continue to ^{Meetings of} meet in the present church for the performance of their ^{parishioners.} religious duties, and their religious wants shall be attended to by an honorary *curé* who, in the eyes of the law, shall enjoy all the rights and privileges of a titular *curé*.

5. This act shall come into force on the day of its ^{Coming into} sanction. ^{force.}

CAP. XLIII.

An Act to amend the Act 22 Victoria, chapter 63, intituled :
 "An Act to modify the personal composition of the
 Corporation of the Seminary of Nicolet."

[Assented to 21st June, 1886.]

WHEREAS the corporation of the Seminary of Nicolet ^{Preamble.}
 has, by petition, represented that, owing to the erec-
 tion of the new diocese of Nicolet, it has become necessary
 to change the personal composition of such corporation, and
 it is expedient to grant the prayer contained in such peti-
 tion ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and
 consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. That part of the act 22 Victoria, chapter 68, which ^{22 v. c. 68,}
 modifies the personal composition of the Seminary of Ni- ^{amended.}
 colet, is amended as follows :

"In future the corporation of the Seminary of Nicolet ^{Composition of}
 shall be only composed and constituted : ^{corporation.}

"1. Of the Roman Catholic Bishop of Nicolet ;

"2. Of the present five resident members, that is, residing
 in the said Seminary of Nicolet, which said members are
 Me. srs. Isaac Gélinas, priest, superior, Antoine Narcisse
 Bellemore, priest, Moïse George Proulx, priest, Joseph