

Zephirin, and the farm of Joseph Descoteau, comprising the numbers 524, 525 and 739 of the cadastre for the parish of Saint Zephirin, is detached from the municipality of the parish of Saint Zephirin and annexed to the municipality of Saint Benoit.

Name of municipality changed.

**2.** The municipality of Saint Benoit shall be hereafter known as and bear the name of the "Municipality of the parish of Saint Elphège."

Constitution of civil parish of St. Elphège.

Proviso as to dismemberments, &c.

**3.** The canonical parish of Saint Elphège, as erected by canonical decree of His Lordship Bishop Elphège Gravel, Bishop of Nicolet, dated on the festival of Saint Elphège, the nineteenth of April, 1886, is constituted a parish for civil purposes; but such erection shall have no greater effect than if it had taken place in the ordinary course of the law, and shall further not prevent, if necessary, additions or dismemberments under the authority of chapter 18 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada.

Coming into force.

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

## CAP. LV.

An Act to erect a certain portion of the Parish of St. Janvier de Weedon into a village municipality.

[Assented to 21st June, 1886.]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS in the parish of St. Janvier de Weedon, there is, on the shore of Lake Weedon, a group of about forty houses, including, in addition to the station of the Quebec Central Railway, a post-office, stores, a large saw-mill and water-powers sufficient for several factories, and it is important to give to this portion of the parish of St. Janvier de Weedon the powers of a village municipality, in order to ensure the carrying out of the improvements necessitated by the rapid increase which is every day taking place; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

Village of Lake Weedon constituted a municipality.

**1.** From and after the day of the sanction of this act, the following portion of the municipality of the township of Weedon, in the parish of St. Janvier de Weedon, shall constitute a separate village municipality under the name of "Municipality of the Village of Lake Weedon"; to wit: the north-east half of lot number 23 and lots

numbers 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28 of the sixth and seventh ranges of the township of Weedon, including within the said limits the unoccupied remainder of the said lots Nos. 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28 of the said sixth range of Weedon, situate on the north-east side of the river St. Francis, and bounded by the township of Garthby.

2. All the provisions of the Municipal Code and of the acts amending the same, relating to village municipalities established under such code, shall apply to the municipality of the village of Lake Weedon, except that the first municipal election shall be held on the fifth day of the month of July next (1886), and that a second general election shall be held on the second Monday of January next, and that the subsequent ordinary elections shall be held on the latter date, and the drawing of lots for the councilors who are to go out of office shall take place in the month of December in every year.

Application of Municipal Code thereto.

Exception as to certain elections.

3. Nothing in this act contained shall be considered as relieving that portion of the parish of St. Janvier de Weedon, hereby erected into a village municipality, from the liabilities contracted to date by the municipality of the township of Weedon.

Present liabilities not to be affected.

4. All the bridges, by-roads and roads, situated within the limits of the said municipality of the village of Lake Weedon, shall be at the charges of the latter and under its exclusive control.

Bridges, &c., to be at charges of municipality.

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

Coming into force.

## CAP. LVI.

An Act to divide the municipality of the township of Templeton, in the county of Ottawa, into two separate municipalities.

[Assented to 21st June, 1886.]

WHEREAS a large number of the inhabitants of the township of Templeton, in the county of Ottawa, have prayed, by petition, that the township be erected into two distinct and separate municipalities, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

Preamble.

1. The municipality of the township of Templeton shall cease, in future, to form only one municipality and shall be divided into two distinct municipalities, which will be

Municipality of township of Templeton divided.