

Suspension of
prescription.

11. Prescription and all judicial delays, in any case pending at the *chef-lieu* so abolished, shall be suspended and cease to run from the day fixed for the removal of the aforesaid documents, until the first day when the sittings of the court shall be held at the new *chef-lieu*.

Continuance of
proceedings.

12. It shall not be necessary, for the continuance of proceedings in such pending cases, that any fresh notice be given.

Circuit court of
Green Island
not to be
affected.

13. The change in the place of the *chef-lieu* of the judicial district of Kamouraska shall not affect the existence of the circuit court, sitting at Green Island, in the county of Temiscouata.

Court house &
gaol a public
work.

14. The court house and gaol, thus built in the said town of Fraserville, shall be considered a public work and be under the control of the commissioner of public works.

C A P. XXIV.

An Act to further amend Chapter 68 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada, intituled : "An Act respecting Mutual Insurance Companies."

[Assented to 30th June, 1881.]

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

C. S. L. C., c.
68, s. 4. S. 3,
replaced.

1. Sub-section 3 of section 4 of Chapter 68 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada, is repealed and replaced by the following :

Mutual insu-
rance compa-
nies cannot
insure outside
their country.
Policies al-
ready issued
provided for.

" 3. In future, no Mutual Insurance Company shall have the right to effect insurances, outside of the county or counties in and for which it is established.

The policies, issued by any Mutual Insurance Company before the passing and coming into force of this Act, shall remain in force, until they expire, and the parties insured shall have the same rights and privileges and be subjected to the same obligations as before the passing and coming into force of this Act."

C A P. XXV.

An Act to amend the Act, 42-43 Vict., Chap. 39, intituled :
"An Act to establish Mutual Assurance Companies."

[Assented to 30th June, 1881.]

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

1. Section 1 of the act 42-43 Vict., chap. 39, is amended, ^{42-43 Vic., c. 39, s. 1, amended.} by replacing the words: "lightning or wind," in the said section, by the words: "or fire and lightning or fire from lightning and by wind."

2. Section 2 of the said act is repealed. Id. c. 39, s. 2, repealed.

3. Section 9 of the said act is amended by adding there- Id. c. 39, s. 9, amended. to the following words: "if the by-law establishing the assurance, does not prohibit the insurance of such articles."

4. The present act shall come into force on the day of Act in force. its sanction

CAP. XXVI.

An Act to permit Municipal Corporations to Capitalize their Debts.

[Assented to 30th June, 1881.]

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

1. It shall be lawful for any municipal corporation of a ^{Municipal cor-} city, town, village, parish, township or other municipal ^{porations may} corporation to capitalize their debts, lawfully contracted ^{capitalize} by them, under by-law heretofore passed and submitted ^{debts.} to the electors, and to stipulate the payment by annuities for a term not exceeding fifty years.

2. The interest upon the capitalized debt shall, in no case, ^{Rate of in-} exceed the rate of six per cent., per annum, and shall ^{terest thereon.} be payable at such times as shall be agreed upon, yearly or oftener.

3. Corporations may, by a resolution of the council, ^{Municipal cor-} issue debentures for the amount of such capitalized debt, ^{porations may} payable at such time and in such places as shall be fixed ^{issue debentures to} in the said debentures. ^{amount of debt}

4. It shall not be necessary to submit such by-law for the ^{Approval by} approval of the electors. ^{electors not required.}

CAP. XXVII.

An Act respecting the Bar of the Province of Quebec.

[Assented to 30th June, 1881.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal, consolidate and ^{Preamble.} amend the acts respecting the Bar of the Province