

and council of each of them, in the same manner as if they had been separated under such code.

1st election. **4.** A general election of municipal councillors shall be held in the municipality of the parish of St. Pierre de la Malbaie number two, on the second Monday of the month of February, next after the coming into force of this act, at which election seven councillors shall be elected in the manner prescribed by the municipal code.

Subsequent elections. The general elections following in such municipality shall be held as in other local municipalities.

Division of property. **5.** The movable estate, assets and liabilities of the existing municipality of the township of Malbaie, shall be divided between the two new municipalities, in accordance with the municipal code and the acts which amend the same.

Act in force. **6.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

## C A P. X L V.

An act to erect the township of Bolton into two distinct municipalities for municipal and school purposes.

[Assented to 28th December, 1876.]

Preamble. **W**HEREAS a large number of the inhabitants of the township of Bolton in the county of Brome, have by their petition prayed that the said township should be erected into two separate and distinct municipalities; and it is expedient to grant their petition; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

Division into two municipalities. **1.** The territory heretofore known and distinguished as the township of Bolton, in the county of Brome, is from and after the passing of this act divided and erected into two separate and distinct municipalities, in such manner as that the first four ranges on the west side of said township shall form one municipality, and the remaining ranges shall form another municipality—to be severally hereafter known as “the municipality of west Bolton” and the “municipality of east Bolton.”

Names.

Purposes of subdivision. **2.** The said two municipalities hereby constituted shall be separate and distinct for all municipal and school purposes.

3. A meeting of the qualified electors of the said municipality of West Bolton shall be held at the Brill School House in the said municipality on the first Monday in the month of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven for the election of councillors in accordance with the provisions of the municipal code ; and the municipal councillors of the present township of Bolton shall continue in office for the said municipality of East Bolton, with the exception of those who retire and those who do not reside within its limits.

1st election in West Bolton.

Present councillors of East Bolton to continue in office.

4. A meeting of the qualified electors of said municipality of West Bolton shall be held at the said Brill School House on the second Monday in the month of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven for the election of school commissioners in accordance with the law.

Election of school commissioners for West Bolton.

5. Nothing contained in this act shall have the effect of discharging the whole or any portion of the said municipalities, or either of them, from debts and obligations contracted by the municipality of the said township of Bolton, prior to the passing of this act.

Actual obligations.

6. This act shall come into force on the day of the sanction thereof.

Act in force.

## C A P . X L V I .

An act to erect the village of *Pointe au Pic* into a separate municipality.

[Assented to 28th December, 1876.]

**W**HEREAS the inhabitants of that part of the parish of *St. Etienne de la Malbaie*, in the county of Charlevoix, known by the name of *Pointe au Pic*, have by their petition represented that the present population of the said *Pointe au Pic* is over four hundred souls ; that the village of *Pointe au Pic* is a watering place that is well known abroad, and to which, every summer, a great many strangers resort ; that it is opportune to grant the said village of *Pointe au Pic* the powers of a village municipality so as to insure the maintenance of good order and the execution of the improvements necessitated by the rapid growth of the said village ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Preamble.

1. From and after the sanction of this act, the following portion of the municipality of the parish of *St. Etienne de la Malbaie* shall constitute a separate village municipality, under the name of the "Municipality of the village

Village municipality erected.

Name.