

of the Village of Lennoxville, and that portion now in the town of Sherbrooke.

This act not to affect a certain by-law.

3. Nothing in this act contained shall affect or shall prevent the operation of a certain by-law passed by the municipal council of the county of Compton for the purpose of assessing the said county in aid of the St. Francis and Megantic Railway Company, nor shall this act in any manner interfere with any proceedings to be had or judgment to be rendered in respect thereof, it being the intention of this act that if the said by-law is finally declared valid by the courts of justice, it shall have full force and effect, and that if it be declared not valid it shall remain null and void and of no effect. The municipal code shall apply to the proceedings under this act when the said code comes into force.

Voters' lists for township of Compton to belong to county of Compton.

4. Notwithstanding anything contained in this act, or in any other act, the duplicate list of voters at elections of members of the legislative assembly of this province, which the secretary-treasurer of the municipality of the township of Compton is required by law to deliver to the registrar of the county or registration division within which the said municipality is situate, shall be delivered to the registrar of the registration division of Compton, and not to the registrar of the registration division of Sherbrooke.

C A P. XXXI.

An Act to divide the County of Stanstead into two registration divisions.

[Assented to 24th December, 1870.]

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

County of Stanstead to form two registration divisions.

1. On and after the day to be fixed by proclamation as hereinafter mentioned, the county of Stanstead, for all the purposes of the acts relative to the registration of titles and other documents affecting real estate in the province of Quebec, shall be divided into two registration divisions, whereof one, which shall be called the registration division of Stanstead, shall include the townships of Stanstead, Magog and Hatley, the village of Stanstead Plain and that part of the township of Barnston west of the line dividing lot number five from lot number six, in all and every the ranges thereof; and the other, to be called the registration division of Coaticook, shall include all the remainder of the said township of Barnston, not included in the said registration division of Stanstead, the township of Barford and the village of Coaticook.

Limits of Stanstead division.

Limits of Coaticook division.

2. The registry office of the registration division of Coaticook shall be held in the village of Coaticook. Place of registry office of Coaticook division.

3. The present registrar shall, without any new appointment, be the registrar for the said registration division of Stanstead, and the registry office at present established at the village of Stanstead Plain shall be and continue to be the registry office of the said registration division of Stanstead. Present registrar to continue in Stanstead division.

4. A registrar may be appointed at any time after the passing of this act, for the said registration division of Coaticook, so soon as a suitable building, with a safe, shall be erected, at the costs and charges of the village of Coaticook comprised in the said registration division of Coaticook, and near the place where the sittings of the circuit court are held, and such registrar shall enter into office on such day as shall be fixed for the purpose by proclamation of the lieutenant-governor. Registrar to be appointed for Coaticook division.

C A P. X X X I I.

An Act to detach from the Municipality of East Chester, in the County of Arthabaska, a certain portion thereof, and to constitute the same into a separate Municipality.

[Assented to 24th December, 1870.]

WHEREAS the mayor, councillors and others, inhabitants of the municipality of East Chester, have by petition prayed that a portion of the said municipality may be detached and constituted into a separate municipality; 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: Preamble.

1. From and after the passing of this act, lots twenty-one to twenty-eight, both inclusively, in the first five ranges of the township of Chester, and lots twenty-one to lot twenty-eight both inclusively in the first range of the township of Halifax, shall be detached from the municipality of East Chester and shall form a distinct and separate municipality under the name of the "Municipality of North Chester," for all municipal and school purposes. Certain lots in the township of East Chester and Halifax to form new municipality of North Chester.

2. A meeting of the inhabitants of the said Municipality of North Chester shall be held on the first Monday in the month of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, for the election of councillors in accordance with the provisions of the municipal act then in force. Meeting for election of councillors of North Chester.

3. The said municipality of North Chester may obtain extracts from the last valuation rolls of the municipality of East Chester affecting all property situated within the limits North Chester may obtain extracts from valuation rolls

