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**An Act to continue and to amend certain Acts relating to the Judicature of the Inferior District of Gaspé. (25th February, 1832.)**

Whereas it is expedient that the several Acts hereinafter mentioned should be further continued with certain amendments, and should remain in force during a limited time: be it therefore enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Lower Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, intituled, "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, 'An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Québec, in North America,' and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province;" And it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that a certain Act passed in the second year of the Reign of His late Majesty George the Fourth, Chapter five intituled, "An Act to extend the provisions of a certain Act therein mentioned as far as the same relates to the Judicature in the Inferior District of Gaspé, and more effectually to provide for the due administration of Justice in the said District," and a certain other Act passed in the fourth year of the Reign of His late Majesty George the Fourth, Chapter seven, intituled, "An Act to amend a certain Act therein mentioned, and further to extend the Jurisdiction of the Provincial Court for the District of Gaspé," shall be and they are hereby continued and shall remain in force until the expiration of this Act, and no longer.

II. And whereas by an Act passed in the sixth year of the Reign of His late Majesty George the Fourth, Chapter twenty-five, intituled, "An Act to amend and continue for a limited time two certain Acts therein mentioned, relating to the Judicature in the Inferior District of Gaspé," it is enacted that from and after the first day of May one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, the terms of the Provincial Court for the said Inferior District shall be held at New Carlisle, for causes not exceeding ten pounds sterling from the first to the tenth of March, and from the eleventh to the twentieth of September, and for causes exceeding ten pounds sterling and within the competence of the said Provincial Court from the eleventh to the twentieth of March, and from the twenty-first to the thirtieth of September inclusively—and whereas the circumstances of the said Inferior District of Gaspé render it expedient that the Jurisdiction of the said Provincial Court holden at New Carlisle should be exercised as well in causes not exceeding ten pounds sterling as in causes exceeding that amount in the same, instead of distinct and separate terms; Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that from and after the passing of this Act the terms of the Provincial Court for the said Inferior District which are to be holden at New Carlisle shall be there holden as well for causes not exceeding ten pounds sterling as for causes exceeding ten pounds sterling and

within the competence of the said Provincial Court from the first to the twentieth day of March, and from the eleventh to the thirtieth day of September inclusively, in each and every year.

III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the said Act passed in the sixth year of His late Majesty's Reign, Chapter twenty-five, intituled, "An Act to amend and continue for a limited time two certain Acts therein mentioned relating to the Judicature in the Inferior District of Gaspé," except in so far as the same is hereby amended, shall be, and the same is hereby continued and shall remain in force until the expiration of this Act, and no longer.

IV. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that this Act shall be and remain in force until the first day of May one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and no longer.