CAP. XXVIII.

An Act to amend and explain the Act authorizing the issue of Debentures for giving relief to the City of Quebec.

[10th November, 1852.]

THEREAS doubts have arisen as to the meaning of the Act Preamble. passed in the ninth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, An Act for enabling Her Majesty to direct the issue of Debentures to a limited amount, and for giving relief to the City of Quebec, and it is necessary clearly to define the power and the manner of altering and increasing the security furnished by borrowers: Be it therefore declared and enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada, and it is hereby declared and enacted by the authority of the same, That When properwhenever any real property hypothecated for the security ty hypothecat-of the payment of the sums due by any person to whom ed for any loan is sold, moneys have been advanced or loaned by the Government the price may under the Act above cited, and of the Act passed in the be left in the Session held in the tenth and eleventh years of Her Majesty's vendor or of Reign, chaptered thirty-five, is or shall be alienated by pri- the purchaser vate sale, or by any sale by authority of justice, it is and on proper seshall be lawful for the Governor if he shall see fit, to leave in the hands of the borrowers of the moneys in question, or of the purchasers of the real property hypothecated, the principal sum in respect of which Her Majesty shall hold a privilege or hypothec, during the remainder of the period for which the loan was originally effected, in the same manner, and at the same rate of interest and with the same security, or such other security, as the Governor in Council shall deem expedient.

II. That in all cases of applications for letters or judgment The same in of confirmation of title, in case of the deposit of the price of cases of consale or otherwise, the Governor in Council is and shall be firmation of authorized to leave in the hands of the borrowers of the moneys advanced or loaned as aforesaid, or of the purchasers of real property hypothecated for the payment thereof, the principal sum for which Her Majesty is or shall be a creditor, in the manner prescribed in the next preceding section.

III. That in the cases above mentioned, it is and shall be In such cases lawful for the Governor in Council, to return or cause to be the money returned, as a loan, the principal sums so received, or which may be returned as a Her Majesty would be entitled to receive, before the expira-loan. tion of the time limited for the repayment of the original loan.

Crown to have the same privilege as for the original loan.

IV. For the recovery, security and payment of any sum which shall be advanced under this Act, and of the interest thereon, the Crown shall have the same recourse, rights, hypothecs and privileges, as are granted, under the Act above mentioned, for the security and payment of the sums advanced under the said Act, and shall be entitled to the same exemption from enregistration and other formalities therein mentioned.

CAP. XXIX.

An Act to provide for the removal of the Registry Office of the County of Missisquoi from the place where it is now kept to a more central position.

[10th November, 1852.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Registry Office of the County of Missisquoi was fixed and is now held in the Village of Frelighsburgh, in the Seigniory of St. Armand, the most southern part of the said County, and it is expedient for the general convenience of the population of the said County, to change the site of the said Registry Office, and to place it in a more central position; and whereas Dunham Flats, in the Township of Dunham, is the most central and convenient place for the majority of the inhabitants of the said County: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, An Act to reunite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That on the first day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, the Registry Office for 1st Jan. 1853. the County of Missisquoi shall be removed from the place where it is now held, and shall, from and after the said first day of January, be established and held at Dunham Flats, in the Township of Dunham, in the said County.

Registry Office to be

CAP. XXX.

An Act to detach, for judicial purposes, the settlements of Sainte Anne-des-Monts and Cap-Chat from the District of Gaspé, and annex the same to the District of Kamouraska.

[10th November, 1852.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS by reason of the great distance of the settlements of Ste. Anne-des-Monts and Cap-Chat, included in and making part of the County and District of Gaspé, from the places in the said County and District whereat the Courts