County for Electoral purposes. Sainte Anne-des-Monts and Cap-Chat, entitled to vote for the election of a Member to represent the County of Gaspé in the Legislative Assembly of the Province, when and as often as the case may occur; the said settlements, notwithstanding any thing in this Act contained, remaining, for electoral and Legislative purposes, as heretofore, parts of the County of Gaspé.

Act 12 Vic., c. 126, not to be affected by this Act.

IV. Provided always, And be it enacted, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to repeal an Act passed in the twelfth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act detaching the settlements of Sainte Anne-des-Monts and Cap-Chat from the Municipality of Gaspé, and to erect the same into a separate Municipality, nor to annul or alter any of the enactments or provisions thereof.

Public Act.

V. And be it enacted, That this Act shall be deemed a Public Act, and as such be judicially noticed by all Judges, Justices and others whom it may concern without being specially pleaded.

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CAP. XXXI.

An Act to authorize the Governor General to issue a Proclamation to declare the County of Perth to be separated from the United Counties of Huron, Perth and Bruce, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

[10th November, 1852.]

Preamble.

12 V. c. 78.

Recital.

WHEREAS the Townreeves of the County of Perth, one of the United Counties of Huron, Perth and Bruce, have been duly constituted a Provisional Municipal Council for the said County of Perth, in pursuance of the Provisions of the tenth section of an Act of the Parliament of the Province of Canada, passed in the twelfth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for abolishing the Territorial Division of Upper Canada into Districts, and for providing for temporary Unions of Counties for Judicial and other purposes, and for the future dissolutions of such Unions as the increase of wealth and population may require; And whereas the said Provisional Municipal Council has not complied with the terms of the fifteenth section of the said recited Act in time to enable a Proclamation to be issued under the provisions of the eighteenth section of the said recited Act, for disuniting the said County of Perth, so as such disunion should take effect on the first day of January next; And whereas there is just reason for believing that such Provisional Municipal Council will make it appear to the satisfaction of the Governor of this Province in Council, prior to the said first day of January next, that the terms of the fifteenth section of the said recited Act have been complied with ;

with; And whereas it is expedient to enable the Governor of this Province in Council thereupon to issue a Proclamation under the Great Seal of the Province, declaring the said County of Perth to be disunited from the said United Counties of Huron, Perth and Bruce: 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 re-unite 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 so soon The Governor as the said Provisional Municipal Council of the said County may, on being of Perth shall make it appear to the satisfaction of the Governor certain things of this Province in Council, that such property has been pur- have been chased or procured and such Court House and Gaol is erected, done, issue a and the proportion of the debt, if any, to be assumed by the said disuniting the County of Perth, shall have been adjusted or settled as pro-County of vided by the fifteenth section of the said recited Act, and so the union of soon as such appointments as are mentioned in the seventeenth which it now section of the said recited Act shall have been made, it shall forms part and may be lawful for the Governor of this Province in Council, by Proclamation under the Great Seal of the Province, at any time on or before the thirty-first day of December next after the passing of this Act, to declare the said County of Perth to be disunited from the said united Counties of Huron, Perth and Bruce, upon, from and after the first day of January next after the passing of this Act, and the said County of Perth shall thereupon, and upon, from and after the said first day of January next after the passing of this Act, be, for all judicial and municipal purposes, disunited from the said union of the Counties of Huron, Perth and Bruce, and the union of the said Counties of Huron, Perth and Bruce, for such purposes, shall thereupon, and upon, from and after the said first day of January next, after the passing of this Act, be absolutely dissolved to the like extent, and as effectually as if a Proclamation had been issued in pursuance of the provisions of the eighteenth section of the said recited Act, for disuniting the said County of Perth from the said union of the Counties of Huron, Perth and Bruce, upon, from and after the said first day of January next.

II. And whereas doubts have arisen as to the true boundaries The Governor of the Township of Brighton, under the provisions of the Act may fix the passed in the last Session of the Parliament of this Province boundaries of passed in the last Session of the Parliament of this Province, the Township held in the fourteenth and fifteenth years of the reign of Her of Brighton. Majesty, intituled, An Act to make certain alterations in the Territorial Divisions of Upper Canada; For remedy thereof, Be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor of this Province, by an Order in Council, to issue a Proclamation under the Great Seal of this Province, declaring and describing

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the boundaries of the said Township of Brighton, and from and after the first day of January next after the teste of such Proclamation, the territory included within such boundaries shall be and is hereby declared to have been the Township of Brighton, as if the said description had been included in the said Act.

The Governor may divide St. Patrick's Ward in the City of Toronto into two Wards.

III. And whereas the Common Council of the City of Toronto, by their petition, have, for two successive years, prayed that St. Patrick's Ward in the City may be divided into two Wards : Be it therefore enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor of this Province, by an Order in Council, to issue a Proclamation under the Great Seal of this Province, dividing the said Ward into two Wards, and declaring by what names such Wards shall thenceforth be known and called, and from and after the first day of January next after the teste of such Proclamation, the said Wards so to be named and described in such Proclamation, shall be considered as separate Wards of the said City, in the same manner as if they had been originally mentioned and described as such separate Wards in the Upper Canada Municipal Corporations Act of one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and Elections shall be held in and for the said Wards on the first Monday in January next after the teste of such Proclamation, in the same manner as for any other Wards in the said City, and the persons whose names shall be entered on the Collector's Roll for St. Patrick's Ward for the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, residing within each of such Wards respectively, at the time of holding the Elections therefor, and otherwise by law qualified to vote at Municipal Elections, shall be allowed to vote at the Election to be held in such Wards respectively, on the said first Monday in January.

CAP. XXXII.

An Act to authorize the City of Kingston to negotiate a Loan of Seventy-five Thousand Pounds to consolidate the City Debt, and for other purposes.

[10th November, 1852.]

Preamble.

W HEREAS the City of Kingston have petitioned to be authorized by law to borrow on the debentures of the said City, a sum not exceeding seventy-five thousand pounds, for certain purposes and under certain restrictions in the said petition set forth, and it is expedient that the prayer of their said petition should be granted: 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 re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower