CAP. CXVII.

An Act to amend the Act 19 & 20 Vict., cap. 47, and to authorize the formation of four Agricultural Societies in the County of Gaspé instead of two.

[Assented to 27th May, 1857.]

Preamble.

HEREAS the agricultural population of the County of Gaspé is dispersed over a very large extent of territory, and but little advantage results from the formation of two Agricultural Societies in conformity with the Act 19 & 20 Vict. cap. 47, and it is therefore expedient to establish several Agricultural Societies in the said County: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

Four Societies allowed in Gaspé.

I. Hereafter it shall be lawful for the said County of Gaspé to establish four Agricultural Societies instead of two, namely at Amherst in the Magdalen Islands, and at St. Anne des Monts in the Municipality of St. Anne des Monts and Cape Chat, besides the two Agricultural Societies already established and in operation in the said County.

Government Grant to be equally diwided. II. The sum to which the said County of Gaspé is entitled out of the annual appropriation voted by the Legislature, shall be equally divided among the said Agricultural Societies in the said County of Gaspé, now in operation or hereafter to be established by virtue of the Act above cited or of this Act.

CAP. CXVIII.

An Act to provide for the transfer of certain Books and Documents from the Registry Office for the County of Chateauguay to that for the County of Huntingdon.

[Assented to 27th May, 1857.]

Preamble.

HEREAS under and in accordance with the provisions of a Statute passed by the Legislature of the late Province of Lower Canada, in the Session held in the tenth and eleventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King George the

10, 11 G. 4, c. 8.

Fourth, intituled, An Act to establish Registry Offices in the Counties of Drummond, Sherbrooke, Stanstead, Shefford and Missisquoi, as amended by the Act passed by the same Legislature in the first year of the reign of His late Majesty King

1 W. 4, c. 3.

William the Fourth, intituled, An Act to amend an Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of His late Majesty, intituled, 'An Act to establish Registry Offices in the Counties of Drum-'mond, Sherbrooke, Stanstead, Shefford and Missisquoi, and to 'extend the provisions of the said Act,' a Registry Office was established at the Village of Huntingdon, in the County of Huntingdon,