Legislation of 1872-3-Quebec.

Montmagny, Richelieu, Saguanay, St. Hyacinthe and Rimouski. The judge for Montmagny shall do duty in Beauce and that for Saguenay in Chicoutimi,—a judge from Montreal serving Terrebonne. When a judge is residient at the *cbef lieve* of the district the prothonotary may not exercise judicial functions under Art. 465 C. C. P. Revision, formerly under 495 of C. C. P., takes place before 3 judges—the judge who sat at the trial not being one. The Act to come into force when proclaime¹¹.

Cap. 11-The additional judge appointed under 35 V., c. 6, need not reside in Montreal.

Cap. 12—When a cause is inscribed for review any other party than the one inscribing, within 8 days of service of inscription, may file a declaration that he does not waive his appeal to the Q. B., whereupon the inscribing party may, on payment of \$10 cost, withdraw the inscription and appeal to the Q. B. If he proceeds after notice, or the other party do not give notice, either waives the right of appeal to Q. B. No personal action for over \$500 can be reviewed in the S. Court nor a real or mixed action unlessit exceed that sum : and if that be not proved, costs in review may not be granted.

QUEEN'S COUNSEL.

Cap. 13-Authorizes the L. G. in C. to appoint Queen's Counsel and grant precedence at the bar.

JUDICIAL DEPOSITS.

Cap. 14—All sums of over \$100 received by the clerk of appeals, or a coroner, are to be deposited with the Provincial Treasurer; if received by a balliff, with the Prothonotary. They are to furnish accounts within 3 months after the Act comes into force. Further provision is made for the notification of the Treasurer by the Prothonotaries whenever a judgment or order of collection and distribution has not been opposed or appealed from in 15 days. Thereupon the money is pald over to the parties, collocated by cheques or orders of the Treasurer, reserving however all legal rights of appeal, opposition and recovery as if payment were not made. Moneys deposited whether with Treasurer or his agents may be attached by

SECURITIES OF JUDICIAL OFFICERS.

Cap. 15-Securities of Sheriffs, Prothonotaries, Clerks of Court, Registrars, Coroners and Bailifs must be given under 32 V. c. 9, without prejudice to previous laws as to amount. The security of the Sheriff of Montreal is to be \$12,000, of Quebec \$6,000, of Three Rivers \$4,000, of other districts \$2,000. Prothonotaries of Quebec and Montreal \$4,000, other districts \$2,000. Clerks of circuit courts \$600 each.

REGISTERS OF CIVIL STATUS.

Cap. 16—Every R. C. priest authorized by ecclesiastical authority to baptise, marry and bury may keep registers for a church, chapel or mission. He must produce his authority when asking for the authentication of his registers. They should be kept in duplicate and one deposited as in other

cases, but in the case of a mission the other is to be deposited with the bishop, not kept by the priest. Such registers heretofore kept may be authenticated by the Prothonotary. The Act is not to affect the rights of existing parishes and fabriques.

SALE OF PROPERTY OF MINORS.

Cop. 17—Shares in joint stock Cos. held by or on behalf of minors and others incapable of acting for themselves are to be dealt with as immovable property in proceedings under 35 V. c. 7.

Cap. 18—Immovable property in said Act shall include all immovable rights of any kind and nature, belonging to minors.

Cap. 19—Lands granted to bona fide settlers under the 32 V., c. 11, shall not be mortgaged or hypothecated by judgment or otherwise or seized and sold under execution for any debt contracted before such grant, only for the price thereof. The exemptions of chattels from seizure under 31 V., c. 20, apply to those of all grantees under 32 V., c. 11.

SUITS IN FORMA PAUPERIS.

Cap. 20-No person can sue for a penalty in forma pauperis.

MUNICIPAL CODE.

Cap. 21-Amends the Municipal Code of the Province.

CONTINUING ACT.

Cap. 22—Continues the Acts 2 G. IV, c, 8, 3 Geo. IV, c, 10, 4 Geo. IV, c. 26 and 9 Geo. IV, c, 32, relating to the seigntories of Laprairie de la Magdeleine, La Baie St. Antoine or La Baie du Febvre and the fief Grosbois.

INVENTORIES.

Cap. 23-Inventories, to affect dissolution of continuation of community, made since the promulgation of the C. C. and before the coming into force of this Act are valid although no tutors ad hoc were appointed, if the sub-tutors were parties.

BINDING OUT ORPHANS.

Cap. 24—Any religious community receiving orphans may bind them out, in the same manner as the Managers of an Asylum.

CORPORATE BODIES.

Cap. 25-Joint Stock Companies whose shares are, by their charter, multiples of \$100 may by resolution make them \$100. Corporations holding British or United States charters may hold lands in the Province for the use of their business; but corporations for religious, scientific or other objects not for gain, may not hold ov r 10 acres of land without license of the L. G. In C.

JOINT STOCK ROAD COS.

Cap. 26-Persons who have obtained authority under a municipal by-law to stone and make a turnpike road may apply, under