

interest of the advances, to the extent of fifty thousand dollars, to it made by the Government of this Province.

Security may  
be exacted,  
&c.

2. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor in Council for this purpose to require such security and to impose such conditions which he may deem requisite.

## CAP. XL.

An Act to amend the law respecting proofs taken by stenography.

[Assented to 24th June, 1892.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS, to obviate the delays, expense and inconvenience resulting from the actual system of taking evidence, it is urgent that the method of taking proofs by stenography followed in the districts of Quebec, Montreal, Three Rivers, Saint Francis, Arthabaska, Bedford, Rimouski, Richelieu, St. Hyacinthe, Beauharnois, Iberville, Ottawa, Kamouraska and Terrebonne, be applied to the district of Beauce;

Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

C. C. P., art.  
320a, and R. S.  
Q., art. 5888,  
amended.

1. The first paragraph of article 320a of the Code of Civil Procedure, as added by article 5888 of the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec, is amended by adding thereto after the word "Terrebonne" the word "Beauce."

Coming into  
force.

2. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

## CAP. XLI.

An Act respecting sales by sheriffs under execution.

[Assented to 24th June, 1892.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS, since the passing of the acts 50 Victoria, chapter 5, and 51-52 Victoria, chapter 2, and the coming into force of the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec, doubts have been raised as to whether the sheriffs of the various districts of the Province have a right to collect, under the provisions of article 705 of the Code of Civil Procedure, the commission of two and one half per cent. declared to be their commission on judicial sales by article 2694 of the said Revised Statutes, and it is expedient