

For petit jurors in the case of proprietors an assessed total value of at least four hundred dollars, but not more than one thousand dollars, and in the case of occupants and lessees, an assessed annual value of at least forty dollars, but not more than one hundred dollars.

## C A P . X I V .

An Act respecting the duties of certain Judicial Offices in cases of vacancy.

[Assented to 1st February, 1870.]

**H**ER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts and declares as follows :

Duties of sheriffs, &c., in case death, &c., discharged pro. tem. by the deputy.

**1.** Any deputy appointed by any sheriff, prothonotary or clerk of the circuit court, may, in the event of the death, removal, suspension or resignation of the said officer, discharge his duties until a successor shall be appointed to such officer.

Deputies and successors may complete the acts, &c., of sheriffs, &c., in the event of death, &c.

**2.** Any duty prescribed by law which, at the time of his death, removal, suspension or resignation, shall not have been discharged by any sheriff, prothonotary or clerk of the circuit court, may have been and may be performed and discharged by his deputy or by his successor, and all the acts registered but not signed or not completed, by such sheriff, prothonotary or clerk of the circuit court, may have been and may be signed or completed by his deputy or by his successor.

## C A P . X V .

An Act respecting the Tariffs of Fees of certain Officers of Justice.

[Assented to 1st February, 1870.]

**H**ER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Lieut.-Gov. in Council may make, &c., tariffs of fees of high constables, &c., for certain services.

**1.** The lieutenant-governor in council may from time to time make, modify, or repeal any tariff of fees payable to high constables, bailiffs or constables, for their services in the execution of any order of justices of the peace, of the court of Queen's bench, in the exercise of its original jurisdiction in criminal matters, or of the court of quarter sessions or general sessions of the peace, in any district of this province ; and may revoke any tariff, for the officers

