

CAP. XXIX.

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec respecting the administration of justice in the district of Saguenay.

[Assented to 21st March, 1889.]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. The following article is added after article 2407 of the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec :

of Art. added after R. S. Q., 2407.

“2407*a*. Any writ of summons or other judicial document may, upon permission of the judge, prothonotary or clerk of the courts having jurisdiction in that part of the North shore of the Gulf of the St. Lawrence, be also served by any literate person.

Writs, &c., may be served by literate person in certain part of North Shore.

The certificate of such service shall be sworn before a justice of the peace having jurisdiction or residing in that part of the district of Saguenay, or before a commissioner of the Superior Court appointed for the said district.”

Certificate of service before whom to be sworn.

CAP. XXX.

An Act to amend the law respecting district magistrates

[Assented to 21st March, 1889.]

WHEREAS, in the judicial district of Montreal, the number of cases in civil matters as well before the Superior Court as before the Circuit Court, is so great that, notwithstanding the permanence of the sittings of these courts, the judges presiding them are unable to hear and decide them all with the despatch suitable to the parties interested ;

Preamble.

Whereas the federal authorities have neglected to make all the appointments of additional judges provided for by the statute of this Province 50 Victoria, chapter 11 ;

Whereas, to remedy this state of things, and in the interest of the administration of justice, it has become necessary to establish in the city of Montreal, for the judicial district of Montreal, a magistrates' court, before which may be brought all the cases, proceedings, matters and things which are hereinafter enumerated in article 2544*g* ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :