BILL.

An Act to make executory the Judgments of the Commissioners' Courts in Lower Canada.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the seventh year of Preamble. Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, "An Act to 7 Vict. c. 19. " provide for the Summary Trial of Small Causes in Lower "Canada," no means are provided for carrying into exe-5 cution the Judgments of Commissioners' Courts which may have ceased to exist, and great inconvenience has arisen from the want of such provision, inasmuch as such Judgments have either remained unexecuted, or it has been necessary to have them declared executory by 10 other Judgments obtained at great cost; For remedy thereof, be it enacted, &c.

That the Judgments of the several Commissioners' Courts How judg-in. Lower Canada which have existed under Acts now ments of Cir-cuit Courts expired, or which have existed or shall exist under the which may 15 Act above cited, and which have ceased or may hereafter to exist shall cease to exist, may and shall be executed as if the said be executed. Judgments had been rendered after the passing of the said Act, by the Circuit Court or any other Court in the same District; and the Clerks of the said Courts at the 20 places where the records are or shall be deposited, respectively, shall accordingly issue Writs of Execution by virtue of the said Judgments, and ulterior proceedings shall be had upon the said Judgments, as if the same had been rendered by the Circuit Court or by any other Court 25 in the same District, by virtue of the laws now in force.