

" proprietors as aforesaid; by a summons issued from the office of the Clerk
 " of the Circuit Court, in any Circuit within the District where such lands
 " or tenements are situated, to summon such occupier or occupiers, &c,"
 5 French language, so as to occasion doubts as to whether the real property
 sought to be recovered under that Act, must be situated within the limits of
 the Circuit within which such summons is issued ; Be it therefore declared
 and enacted, that it is not necessary that the real property sought to be re-
 covered under the said Act, should be situated within the Circuit where the
 10 summons issues, provided such real property is situated within the District
 of which such Circuit forms a part.

version of sec.
 1, of 41 and
 15 V. c. 92.

The law de-
 clared.

VI. Nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to deprive any
 person of title to land which he may have acquired by prescription, by the
 laws now in force in Lower Canada, nor shall it be construed to enable any
 15 person to recover from the proprietor or proprietors of any land or lands,
 any compensation for ameliorations made by him upon lands of which he
 has voluntarily abandoned the possession and occupation, nor shall any
 person in the occupation and possession of land, without title thereto, be
 entitled to recover from the proprietor or proprietors thereof, any compen-
 20 sation for ameliorations made by him upon such land, so long as he is per-
 mitted to retain the undisturbed possession thereof.

Act not to ef-
 fect title by
 prescription,
 nor to apply
 to certain
 other cases.

VII. This Act shall apply to lands held in free and common soccage in
 Lower Canada only, and shall be a Public Act.

Extent of Act.