

Process of the  
said courts,  
respectively,  
in cases of dis-  
obedience or  
contempt.

Attachment.

Sequestration  
of the personal  
estate.

In administra-  
tion, granted  
with a will an-  
nexed, it shall  
be expressly  
conditioned  
that such will  
shall be perfor-  
med.

Form and con-  
dition of bond  
to be entered  
into in such  
case.

Force & effect  
of such bond.

process, orders, sentence or decree of the said courts, in all matters within their cognizance, Be it enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for the said judge of the court of probate, and his surrogates within their respective districts, and they are hereby au-  
rized upon application made and supported by certificate from the register or proper officer,  
of any neglect of, or disobedience to the regular process, order or sentence of the court, or up-  
on any complaint to be verified upon oath by any apparitor, officer, or other person, of any  
wilful contempt or resistance to the regular process, order or sentence of the said courts or any  
of them, or to the service thereof, to proceed against the parties, so withstanding, disobeying  
or offending, by attachment, to be directed to the sheriff of the district, who is hereby authori-  
zed and required to execute the same; and in case the sheriff return that the party is not found  
in his district, that the said courts and each of them may issue a proclamation directed to the  
sheriff of the district which he is hereby authorized and required to make, that the said party  
do on his allegiance personally appear in the said court, on a day in the said proclamation to  
be named; and in case the sheriff return that the party is not found, and he do not appear at  
the time and place as commanded, that the said courts, and each of them may proceed to a se-  
questration of the personal effects, goods and chattels of the said party in contempt, to be di-  
rected to certain persons to detain and keep the same, until the said contempts be cleared or  
the court make order to the contrary.

XIII. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That in all cases where any administra-  
tion shall be granted with a will annexed either by the judge of the court of probate in this pro-  
vince, or by any surrogate of any district of this province, such letters shall contain an express  
provision or condition that the will of the deceased in such testament expressed, shall be obser-  
ved and performed, and for such purpose that bonds with two or more able and sufficient sure-  
ties, shall be taken of the respective person or persons to whom such administration shall be  
committed in such penalties as to the judge or surrogate shall appear reasonable, respect be-  
ing had to the value of the estate of the said testator, which condition may be as follows:—  
“The condition of this obligation is such, that if the above bounden , administrator (or  
administratrix as the case may be) of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the  
said , deceased, with the will of the said , annexed, and not administered by (as  
the case may be) do make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and  
singular the goods, chattels and credits of the said , deceased, which shall have come  
to the hands, possession or knowledge of the said , or into the hands and possession of  
any other person for the said , and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited  
(where such bond shall be taken by the judge of the court of probate) into the registry of the  
court of probate of this province, or into the office of the surrogate of the district of , at  
or before the expiration of six calendar months from the date of the above obligation, and the  
same goods, chattels and credits, and all other goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased,  
at the time of his or her death, which at any time after shall come into the hands and possession  
of the said , or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for the said ,  
do well and truly administer according to the directions and true intentions of the testator or  
testatrix (as the case may be) expressed in the will to the letters of administration granted to the  
said , annexed, as the law directs, and further when thereunto lawfully required, do make or  
cause to be made a true and just account of administration, then this obligation to be void and  
of none effect, or else to remain in full force and virtue.—Which bonds, shall be of the same  
force and effect and may be prosecuted upon the like occasions and for the purposes, and in the  
same manner as the bonds taken upon the granting of administrations of persons dying in-  
testate, herein before set forth.

XIV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That it shall and may be lawful for all