

effect, the said Court, by a further Warrant to be signed and countersigned as aforesaid, to be addressed to any constable or bailiff, may and shall cause to be apprehended and committed, the person against whom such judgment shall have been so
 5 given, or the person so convicted, to the Common Gaol of the District in which such person may be found, there to remain until the penalty imposed by such Court, or the amount of the judgment given, with the costs in either case, shall have been paid and satisfied : Provided always, that no person so com-
 10 mitted shall be detained in gaol more than one calendar month ; and provided also, that such imprisonment shall not in any case have the effect of satisfying the said judgment, or of debarring the said prosecutors from enforcing payment of the said judgment, by seizure of any goods or chattles, or lands and
 15 tenements, liable to seizure, that may afterwards be found belonging to the said parties, or by any other legal means or process whatsoever, other than imprisonment of the said parties ; and where imprisonment for any time is the punishment to be suffered by any person or persons under any conviction or con-
 20 victions to be pronounced by the said Recorder's Court, the said last mentioned Court, by a Warrant, to be signed and countersigned as aforesaid, and to be addressed to any constable or bailiff, shall cause such person so ordered to be imprisoned to be forthwith apprehended, if not already in custody,
 25 and when so in custody, or subsequently apprehended, to be committed to the Common Gaol of the District in which such person may be found, there to remain for the time he may be so condemned to be imprisoned.

LXXXIII. And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the
 30 said Recorder's Court to cause order to be preserved in the said Recorder's Court, and to punish by fine or imprisonment, any person guilty of any contempt of the said Court or of any member thereof, if such contempt be committed during the sitting, and in the presence of the said Recorder's Court ; to enforce the
 35 attendance of any witnesses in any action, cause, or prosecution, that may be pending before the said Recorder's Court, and to compel such witnesses to answer all lawful questions ; to authorize and require the examination of any party on inter-
 40 rogatories on facts and articles *faits et articles*, or on the *juramentum litis decisorium*, or on the *juramentum judiciale*, in the same and like cases and circumstances in which such examination may be lawfully required and had in the ordinary Courts of Civil Jurisdiction in Lower Canada ; and to cause the execution of, and obedience to any Order, Precept, Writ,
 45 Process, or Warrant, that may issue from the said Recorder's Court, for any one or more of the purposes aforesaid, by the like means as are used for any such purpose or purposes in the ordinary Courts of Civil Jurisdiction in Lower Canada. And it shall be lawful for the Council of the said City of Montreal,
 50 to appoint so many bailiffs of the said Court, as the said Council may think fit ; and to make and settle a tariff of the fees which should be exacted by the Clerk of the said Recorder's Court and by the bailiffs and other such officers, to be employed in and about the said Recorder's Court : Provided always,
 55 that no fee shall be exacted under such tariff, until such tariff be approved of by the Governor of Canada. And it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the said Recorder's Court, to prepare and make out all the Precepts, Writs, and Processes severally, that may issue from the said Court, and in a register, to be kept
 60 for that purpose, to enter in a succinct manner, all the proceedings had in the said Court, and to record at full length, all the

Powers of the Recorder's Court further defined.