

of such account shall be applied by the said Court as may be necessary for the protection of infants and other persons not *sui juris* on whose behalf proceedings may be had in the said Court or may, by the said Court, be ordered to be had in other Courts.

General orders now in force confirmed.

Subject to alteration by the Judges.

Court may make general orders for giving effect to this Act.

XXI. All general orders of the said Court of Chancery now standing unrepealed by the said Court, are hereby confirmed and declared to be to all intents and purposes as effectual as if the same were hereby specially enacted; but the same may, from time to time be suspended, repealed, varied and re-enacted by the said Court, and shall, in all respects be subject to the control and direction of the said Court and the respective Judges of the said Court, as in the case of any other general orders of the said Court which may from time to time be hereafter made by the said Court under the general or other jurisdiction thereof in that behalf; and the said Court shall from time to time make such general orders as may be necessary or proper to carry out the provisions of this Act, and may from time to time repeal, vary and amend such orders according as the said Court shall find expedient.

## C A P . L V I I .

An Act to amend the Common Law Procedure Act 1856, and to facilitate the remedies on Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes.

[Assented to 10th June, 1857.]

Preamble.

**H**ER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows :

Clerks of the Crown and Pleas and their Deputies, and the Clerk of the process, to give security within a certain time; for what purpose and to what amount, &c.

Failure to give such security, to vacate their offices.

I. The Clerks of the Crown and Pleas, the Clerk of the Process and the Deputy Clerks of the Crown and Pleas in the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas in Upper Canada, shall, within two calendar months after this Act shall come into force, or within one month next after being appointed to any of the said offices, give security to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, in such sum, and with so many sureties and in such form as the Governor in Council shall direct, conditioned for the due performance of the duties of their office and for the rendering of the quarterly accounts and returns required from them by law, and for the due payment to the Receiver General of this Province, of all the fees, dues, emoluments, perquisites and profits received by them on account of their said offices respectively, and for and on account of any duty or service done and performed by them respectively, in their said several offices; and the neglect to give such security by any such Clerk or Deputy Clerk or to render quarterly returns, or to pay over all such moneys within twenty days next after each quarterly day, shall *ipso facto* render his appointment void, and vacate his office: Provided