suits, plaints, bills and proceedings whatsoever,—and shall, by and before all Courts, Judges and Judicial authorities whatever in Lower Canada be held in law to be capable of suing and being sued, pleading and being impleaded, answering and being answered unto in the same name, manner and way as they could or might respectively be within the jurisdiction wherein such executors or administrators or person, body politic and Corporate, Joint Stock Company or Association of persons, are or may be respectively created, erected or recognized.

Service of process on agents, &c., in L. C. to be good.

10 III. In whatever part or place in Lower Canada, any such executor or administrator or person, company or body politic or Corporate, Joint Stock Company or other body or association of persons recognized by any foreign law as aforesaid, may have an office for the transaction of or may 15 carry on business, such executor or administrator, company, body politic or corporate, Joint Stock Company or other body or association, shall be liable to and may be sued and impleaded in Lower Canada, and a service of any process at any such office, or on any agent at the place or within the district or part 20 of Lower Canada where such action may be brought, of any such Company, body politic or corporate, Joint Stock Company or other body, shall be deemed and taken to be, by and before all Courts and Judges whatever, a good and valid service to compel the appearance of and make any such executor or adminis- 25 trator, body politic or corporate, Joint Stock Company or association of persons, amenable to the laws of Lower Canada, and to give such Court or Judge jurisdiction over such defendants.