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No. 154.

1st Session, 5th Parliament, 18 Victoria, 1854.

BILL.

An Act to authorize the bringing of
actions by or against Inspectors and
Overseers of roads.

Received and Read First time, 20th Oct., 1854.

Second Reading, Wednesday, 25th Oct., 1854.

MR. LABERGE.

QUEBEC:

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**An Act to authorize the bringing of actions by or against
Inspectors and Overseers of roads.**

WHEREAS, under the operation of the existing Municipal Laws of ^{Preamble.}
Lower Canada, doubts have arisen respecting the right of Inspectors
and Overseers of roads and bridges to sue and be sued in their said capaci-
ty: Be it therefore declared and enacted, &c :

- 5 The Surveyors and Overseers of roads and bridges, and the Inspectors of ^{Overseers, &c,}
fences and ditches are entitled to the same right of suing and being sued ^{declared able}
in their said capacity, as they were entitled to before the Act passed in the ^{to sue and be}
Session held in the tenth and eleventh years of Her Majesty's Reign, and ^{sued in their}
intituled "*An Act to make better provision for the establishment of Muni-* ^{name of office.}
cipal Authorities in Lower Canada, or any other law amending the same ;
- 10 and any suits which, before the passing of the said Acts could be bought ^{10 and 11 Vic.}
by or against the said Surveyors, Overseers, and Inspectors in their capaci- ^{c. 7.}
ty as such, may still be bought in the same manner, and not by or against the
Municipality within the limits whereof and for which the said Surveyors,
- 15 Overseers and Inspectors have been or shall hereafter be appointed.