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An Act respecting Connaught Avenue in Notre Dame de Grace ward of the city of Montreal.

[Assented to 16th March, 1916]

Preamble.

WHEREAS Thomas A. Trenholme, of the city and district of Montreal, farmer, has, by his petition, represented that he is the owner of the greater portion of the properties bordering on both sides of Connaught avenue, in Notre Dame de Grace ward of the city of Montreal;

That such properties are used as a farm;

That the city of Montreal, for the sole purpose of being able to place therein a collecting drain for the western part of the city, expropriated in 1913 and opened such avenue over the petitioner's property;

That the opening of such street is prejudicial to the petitioner, and its only use is that above mentioned;

That the city of Montreal, after the opening of such avenue, decided to prepare and homologate a collection roll, to collect the cost of such expropriation from the properties bordering on it on both sides;

That it is unjust that such collection roll be entirely collected from such properties;

That the petitioner has prayed for the passing of an act to change the manner of collection of such collection roll;

And whereas it is expedient to grant such prayer;

Therefore His Majesty, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. Notwithstanding any by-law or resolution of the city of Montreal to the contrary, the cost of acquiring the land for the opening and extension of Connaught avenue, from the north part thereof to the north side of Townsend avenue, shall be borne one-half by the proprietors of lands fronting on such avenue, and the other half by the city of Montreal, and shall, as regards the share of the latter, be charged to its loan fund.

To the half payable by the proprietors shall be added interest, at the legal rate, on half of the indemnity which has been paid to the expropriated proprietors, from the date of the payment of such indemnity up to the date when the assessment roll comes into force.

2. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

