

31 Vic, c. 24, s. 2, as amended by 32 Vic. c. 42, replaced. 1. Section 2 of the Act 31 Vict., cap. 24, as amended by the Act 32 Vict., cap. 42 is repealed and replaced by the following :

Act to apply to all joint stock companies. Exception. "2. When not otherwise expressly enacted, this Act shall apply to every joint stock company, incorporated by any special Act, for any of the purposes within the jurisdiction of the legislature of this province, except for the construction and working of railways and the business of insurance."

### CAP. XIII.

An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 43-44 Victoria, chapter 19, intituled: "An Act respecting Public Officers of the Province of Quebec."

[Assented to 30th June, 1881.]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

43-44 Vic., c. 19, s. 2, replaced. 1. Section 2 of the Act 43-44 Victoria, chapter 19, is repealed and replaced by the following :

Percentage to be transmitted with return. "2. Every such officer shall transmit to the treasurer, together with the return mentioned in the preceding section, five per cent. of the nett amount of the fees received by him for the period covered by such return, after deducting the necessary and unavoidable expenses of the office (which expenses so deducted, shall, in no case, for the purposes of this act, exceed one quarter of the total amount of fees received) and provided such nett amount be one thousand dollars ; and if such nett amount exceed one thousand dollars, then a further and additional percentage, on the whole of such nett amount, of one-half per cent. for every hundred dollars or portion of a hundred dollars shall be transmitted, that is to say : five and a half per cent. if the nett amount is eleven hundred or over one thousand dollars ; six per cent. if it is twelve hundred or over eleven hundred dollars, and continuing to increase in such manner that the percentage shall not, in any case, exceed thirty per cent."

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