

S. 240 of said act, amended. **44.** Section 240 of the said act is hereby amended by adding the following sub-section thereto, which shall be the ninth thereof:

Interpretation of certain words. **9.** "The word: "rate payer," shall mean any person liable to assessment, special or otherwise, either as owner or proprietor, tenant or occupant of real estate in the said city and generally any person liable to the payment of assessments, taxes, duties, dues or rates of any nature whatsoever."

§ 5 of s. 1, 39 V. c. 51, amended. **45.** Paragraph 5 of section 1 of the act 39 Vict., chap. 52, is amended by adding after the word: "business," in the second line thereof the words: "and taking risks."

Act in force. **46.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

C A P . L I V .

An act to amend the act passed during the present session intituled: "An act to amend the charter of the city of Montreal."

[Assented to 31st October, 1879.]

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

S. 13 of act of this session c. 53, 41-42 V., amended. **1.** Section 13 of the act passed during the present session intituled: "An act to amend the charter of the city of Montreal is amended by striking out the word: "thirty," and replacing it by the word: "ten."

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

C A P . L V .

An act to amend the act incorporating the city of Three Rivers, 38 Vict., Chap. 76.

[Assented to 31st October, 1879.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the petition of the Council of the city of Three Rivers has shown that it is advisable to amend the act of the Legislature of Quebec, passed in the thirty eighth year of Her Majesty's Reign, Chap. 76, and intituled: "An act to amend and consolidate the act of incorporation of the city of Three Rivers and the various acts which amend the same," as well as the acts