

so taken do not exceed the amount which the following proportion gives him: the total amount of the value of the properties bound to the maintenance of the road is to the capital of the company as the value of the properties bound to the maintenance of the road of the proprietor desirous of taking stock, is to the amount which he shall be entitled to take in stock. After the expiration of one month, as aforesaid, if the charter has been obtained by reason of a permission granted under a by-law of a municipal council, the balance shall belong to the person or persons who shall have obtained a charter; but in the other case the directors may permit all persons, corporations or municipalities to take such number of shares as they may deem proper, and the balance which shall not have been so taken up shall be divided between the applicants in proportion to the value of each land bound to the maintenance of the road, if it be a front road, and in proportion to the share of maintenance to which each proprietor is bound, if it be a by-road. No fraction of a share shall be granted, but the directors may, if they deem it advisable, grant one share to the person entitled to a fraction of one."

Distribution of shares in the company.

Sec. 13, of said act, amended.

6. The section thirteen of the said act is amended by adding after the word "aforesaid," in the third line, the following words: "If the charter has been obtained in virtue of a petition signed by two-thirds of the persons interested in the road."

Sec. 41, of said act, amended.

7. The section forty-one of the said act is amended by adding after the word "toll," in the eleventh line, the words, "and all persons who, going for manure, shall have paid toll, shall be entitled, on their return, with the same vehicle loaded with manure, to get back what they shall have paid."

Sec. 49, repealed.

8. The section forty-nine is repealed.

CAP. XXVII.

An Act respecting the Act 27 and 28 Victoria, Chapter 52, for the protection of insectivorous and other birds beneficial to Agriculture.

[Assented to 24th December, 1872.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS by an Act of this Province, 31st Victoria, chapter 27, section 15, intituled: "An Act to amend the Game Laws of this Province," all acts and parts of acts

relating to game in this province, were, by the said act repealed; and whereas doubts have arisen whether the act 27 and 28 Victoria, chapter 52, which provides for the protection of insectivorous and other birds beneficial to agriculture has not been also repealed; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, declares and enacts as follows:

1. The act 27 and 28 Victoria, chapter 52, respecting insectivorous and other birds beneficial to agriculture, was not and is not repealed by the act of this province, 31 Victoria, chapter 27, and the said act 27 and 28 Victoria, is now and has always been in full force and effect. 27, 28 V., c. 52, in force.

CAP. XXVIII.

An Act to amend the Acts twenty-ninth and thirtieth Victoria, Chapter twenty-seven, and thirty-two Victoria, Chapter twenty-seven, respecting the Bar of the Province of Quebec.

[Assented to 24th December, 1872.]

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

1. The latter part of section two of chapter 27, of the act twenty-ninth and thirtieth Victoria, is repealed, and the following substituted therefor: "and acquire real and personal estate to the amount of fifty thousand dollars." Part of sec. 2, of 29, 30 V., c. 27, repealed.

2. Sub-section three, of section ten of the said act, is repealed, and the following substituted therefor: "3. To prevent, hear, conciliate, settle and determine, all complaints and accusations, on behalf of third persons against members of the bar of such section, acting in any matter, in a manner derogatory to the honor, or contrary to the discipline of the bar." Ss. 3, of sec. 10, replaced. Complaints against members of the bar.

3. The following sub-section is added to the eighteenth section of the said act: And the said council shall establish by the judgment to be drawn up, which party shall pay the costs, and may apportion them between or grant them to one or other of the parties, and shall fix the amount. The party to whom costs are granted must enregister such judgment in the registers of the superior or circuit court, according as the amount awarded shall be within the jurisdiction of one or other of such courts, Addition to sec. 18 of said act Council to grant and apportion costs.

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