

Company may deem expedient, from any convenient place in the Parish of Lachine, to some place at or as near as conveniently may be to Prescott, in Upper Canada, either in the direction of St. Ann's, Vaudreuil, Rig- 5
 gaud and towards Hawkesbury, and thence to some place at or as near as conveniently may be to Prescott, or in the direction of Saint Eustache, Saint Andrews, Grenville, and thence to some place at or as near as 10
 conveniently may be to Prescott aforesaid, in whatever line may by the said Company be found most convenient, and to make and construct all such embankments, bridges and other works, either temporary or permanent, 15
 as the said Company shall think necessary or convenient for the making and constructing of the said Rail-road across or over the River Ottawa, or across or over any other 20
 rivers, canals, brooks, streams or other waters, or across or over any hills, or valleys; and to erect and construct such buildings, engines, machinery, apparatus and other works, either temporary or permanent for the 25
 purposes of this Act, as the said Company shall think expedient; and to erect and construct such wharves, warehouses, stores and other buildings, at either termination thereof, and at such other places along the 30
 line of the said Rail-road, as the said Company shall think expedient; and to build, purchase, hold and use one or more steamboats or other vessels to ply on the waters of the Rivers Saint Lawrence or Ottawa, or 35
 either, as the said Company may think it expedient; and the said Company shall have power and authority to purchase and hold lands, (which word shall throughout this Act, be understood to include the land and all 40
 that is upon or below the surface thereof, and all the real rights and appurtenances there-
 unto belonging, for them and their successors and assigns for the use of the said Rail-
 road and works, without Her Majesty's *Let-
 tres d'Amortissement*, (saving nevertheless to 45
 any Seigneur or Seigniors within whose cen-