

tively make by virtue of or in pursuance of this Act, saving always the rights of any person or party to the whole or any part of the purchase money or compensation to be paid by the said Corporation for any real property purchased or taken as 5 aforesaid.

LXXI. And be it enacted, That in all cases where the said Council, and the persons seized, or possessed of, or interested in the said pieces or parcels of ground, or other real property, or any of them, or any part thereof, shall be absent, or shall not be 10 known, or shall not, by voluntary agreement, settle and determine the price and prices, compensation and compensations to be paid for the said premises, or any part thereof, such price and prices, compensation and compensations, shall be ascertained, fixed and determined in manner following, that is to 15 say: The Justices of the Peace, resident within the said City and Town of Montreal, in a special session to be for that purpose holden, upon a petition to them addressed, and upon proof, that notice in writing was given one month previously to the party seized, possessed of or interested in such pieces or 20 parcels of ground or real property, or his, or her, or their tutor, curator, administrator, attorney, agent, or curator *ad hoc*, of the intention of the said Council to present such petition to the said Justices of the Peace, for the purpose of taking possession of, entering into, and appropriating to the use of the said Corpora- 25 tion, such pieces or parcels of ground or other real property, shall summon a Jury of twelve disinterested persons, taken from among the persons resident within the said City, qualified to be Special Jurors in civil cases; and the said Jury shall determine upon their oaths, the amount of the price or compensation 30 which they shall deem reasonable, to be paid by the said Corporation, for such pieces or parcels of Ground or real property as aforesaid: Provided always, that any determination, as aforesaid, in which any nine of the jurors shall agree, shall, for the purposes of this Act, have the same effect as if all the 35 jurors had agreed therein: And Provided further, the said Jurors shall not as heretofore, be taken irregularly from the list of persons qualified to be special Jurors in civil cases; but a sufficient list of Jurors shall be made out in rotation in the order in which the names may stand on the said general list of persons qualified 40 to be special Jurors in civil cases, beginning therein from when the names have been last taken for a trial by Jury: and the Jury or Panel of Jurors to determine the price or compensation of the land, or other fact in which the said Corporation is interested, shall be selected or struck from the said list of Jurors so made 45 or taken from the said general list as aforesaid in the same way that Panels of Special Jurors are now selected or struck for the trial of any issue between individuals in civil cases; and Juries empanelled to determine as aforesaid the price or compensation to be paid for real estate required by the Corporation, are hereby 50 required not to award, in the manner heretofore done, the actual and abstract value of the property taken or to be taken by the said Corporation, but on the contrary to determine and award what may be the damage to, or deterioration in value (if any) of the residue of the property, by the separation from it of the 55 part required by the said Corporation, and the application of the said part to the purposes or improvement for which the same is so required; and when no damage may be occasioned to the residue of the said property by the said separation from it of the part required as aforesaid, or when on the contrary the 60 said residue of property is increased in value by the improvement, then that the said Jury do not award any price or conf-

Price or compensation to be determined in certain cases by jury.

Provision as to the mode of summoning jurors, and the manner in which they are to decide.