

Certain
Clauses of
Railway
Clauses Con-
solidation Act
incorporated
with this Act.

II. The several clauses of the Railway Clauses Consolidation Act, passed in the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty's Reign, chapter fifty-one, and intituled, *An Act to consolidate and regulate the General Clauses relating to Railways*, with respect to "Interpretation," "Incorporation," "Powers," "Plans and Surveys," "Lands and their valuation," "Highways and Bridges," "Fences," "Tolls," "General Meetings," "Directors, their election and duties," "Shareholders," "Shares and their transfer," "Municipalities," "Actions for indemnity, and Fines and Penalties, and their prosecution," "Working of the Railway," shall be incorporated with this Act in so far as they are not inconsistent with the terms of this Act, and shall apply as well to the Canal and River navigation improvements and works to be made and performed by the said Company as to their Railway. 5 10

Power to
enter upon
lands, &c.

III. The said Company and their agents, servants and workmen are hereby authorized and empowered to enter into and upon the lands and grounds of and belonging to Her Majesty the Queen, Her Heirs and Successors, or to any other person or persons, bodies politic or corporate, and to survey and take levels of the same, or any part thereof, and to set out and ascertain such parts thereof as they shall deem necessary and proper for making the said Railway and River works, or any of them, and forthwith and immediately upon such surveys being made and levels taken, and such parts ascertained as shall be necessary for making the said Railway or constructing the said Canal or Canals, Locks, Dams, Basins, deepening the River, or other works, to take and appropriate, have and hold to and for the use of the said Company and their successors, lands sufficient for the construction of the said Railway and works, or any of them, for the improvement of the river in the said County of Leinster and Parish of St. Paul, with all necessary locks, tow-paths, basins, stations, warehouses and other erections as may be required by the said Company for the purpose aforesaid; and to purchase the same to and for the use of the said Company, and with full power under this Act to lay out and construct, make and finish a double or single iron or wooden Railway, to be worked by locomotive or stationary steam or other Engines, from some point on the line of the Industry Village and Rawdon Rail Road in the Parish of St. Paul's to the navigable waters on the Lac Rondeau or L'Assomption Rivers; Further, provided always, that the said Company shall be authorised to purchase or build Steam Vessels, Boats, Barges or other Vessels to ply on the waters of the Rivers L'Assomption and Laquarreau in the said County of Leinster and elsewhere. 15 20 25 30 35

Penalty for
damaging
works of
Company.

IV. If any person or persons shall wilfully, maliciously or to the prejudice of the said Company, break down, damage or destroy any bank, lock, gate, sluice or any works, machine or device to be erected or made by virtue of this Act, or do any other wilful act, hurt or mischief, to disturb or prevent the carrying into execution, or completing, supporting or maintaining the said works hereinbefore referred to, every such person or persons offending shall forfeit and pay to the said Company the value of the damages proved by the oath of one or more credible witness or witnesses, such damages, together with the costs of suit in that behalf incurred, to be recovered by action in any Court of Law in this Province, having jurisdiction competent to the same, and in case of default of payment, such offender or offenders may be committed to the Common Gaol for any time not exceeding three months, at the discretion of the Court before which such offenders shall be convicted. 40 45

For obstruct-
ing passage of
rafts, &c.

V. No person or persons shall in any manner obstruct the passage of any boat, vessel or raft passing on or through the said Canal, Locks, Basins or