

the District for a space of time, not exceeding three months, as to such Court may seem meet.

XIII. And be it enacted, That the sub-  
 5 scriptions for shares in the Capital Stock of  
 the said Company or to the undertaking for  
 carrying out which the said Company is  
 incorporated, shall be good and valid and  
 binding on the Shareholders whether made  
 10 before or after the passing of this Act; and  
 the several persons who have subscribed or  
 may hereafter subscribe for shares in the  
 said undertaking or Company, shall and they  
 are hereby required to pay the sum or sums  
 15 of money by them respectively subscribed;  
 or such part or portions thereof as shall from  
 time to time be called for by the Directors  
 of the said Company under and by virtue of  
 the powers and directions of this Act to such  
 20 person or persons and at such times and  
 places as shall be directed or required by  
 the Directors; and in case any person or  
 persons shall neglect or refuse to pay the  
 same at the time and in manner required for  
 25 that purpose, it shall be lawful for the Direc-  
 tors to cause the same to be sued for and  
 recovered in any Court of Law in this Pro-  
 vince having jurisdiction in civil cases to the  
 amount, and in any such action, whether for  
 30 the subscriptions already made or hereafter  
 to be made, it shall not be necessary to set  
 forth the special matter in the declaration,  
 but it shall be sufficient to allege that the  
 defendant is the holder of one or more shares  
 35 in the Stock, (stating the number of shares)  
 and is indebted to the Company in the sum to  
 which the calls in arrear may amount; and  
 in any such action it shall be sufficient to  
 maintain the same, that the signature of the  
 40 defendant to some book or paper by which  
 it shall appear that such defendant subscribed  
 for a share or a certain number of shares of  
 the Stock of the said Company or under-  
 taking be proved by one witness, whether  
 45 in the employ of the Company or not, and

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