

Proviso: against
monopoly.

Proviso: By-laws
imposing tolls must be
sanctioned.

Accounts when to be
balanced.

Dividends to be made.

Proviso: capital not
to be impaired.

the said Company shall have full power, from time to time at any general meeting, to lower or reduce all or any of the said tolls, and again to raise the same, as often as it shall be deemed necessary for the interests of the said undertaking: Provided always, that the same tolls shall be payable at the same time and under the same circumstances upon all goods and upon all persons, so that no undue advantage, privilege or monopoly, may be afforded to any person or class of persons, by any By-law relating to the said tolls: And provided also, that all By-laws of the said Company regulating the tolls to be taken on the said Rail-road, shall be subject to the approval of the Governor in Council.

XLV. And in order to ascertain the amount of the clear profits of the said undertaking, Be it enacted, That the said Company, or the Directors for managing the affairs of the said Company, shall and they are hereby required to cause a true, exact and particular account to be kept and annually made up and balanced on the Thirty-first day of December in each year, of the money collected and received by the said Company, or by the Directors or Treasurer of the said Company, or otherwise, for the use of the said Company, by virtue of this Act, and of the charges and expenses attending the erecting, making, supporting, maintaining, and carrying on their works, and of all other receipts and expenditure of the said Company or the said Directors; and at the General Meetings of the Proprietors of the said undertaking, to be from time to time holden as aforesaid, a dividend shall be made out of the clear profits of the said undertaking, unless such meetings shall declare otherwise; and such dividend shall be at and after the rate of so much per share upon the several shares held by the Proprietors, in the Joint Stock of the said Company, as such meeting or meetings shall think fit to appoint or determine: Provided always, that no dividend shall be made whereby the capital of the said Company shall be in any degree reduced or impaired, nor shall any dividend be paid in respect of any share, after a

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