Seizure of goods, &c

Tolls may be lowered and again raised

Proviso against monopoly

tent jurisdiction, and the person or persons to whom the said rates or dues ought to be paid; may, and he is and they are hereby empowered to seize and detain such goods, wares, merchandize or other commodities for or in 5 respect whereof such rates or dues ought to be paid, and detain the same until payment thereof, and in the meantime the said goods. wares, merchandize or other commodities shall be at the risk of the owner or owners 10 thereof, and the said Company or the said Directors shall have full power from time to time at any general meeting, with the like approbation aforesaid, to lower or reduce all or any of the said tolls, and again to raise the 15 same as often as it shall be deemed necessary for the interest of the said undertaking: Provided always, that the said tolls shall be at all times charged equally to all persons after the same rate in respect of all passen- 20 gers, and of all goods or carriages of the same description, and conveyed or propelled by a like carriage or engine passing over the same portion of the line of Rail-road under the same circumstances, and no reduc-25 tion or advance in any such tolls shall be made directly or indirectly in favor of or against any particular Company, person or party travelling upon or using the Rail-road, or so as collusively or unfairly to create a 30 monopoly either in the hands of the said Company or of any other Company, person or party.

Accounts of profit to be ennually made up and ballanced.

XL. And in order to ascertain the amount of the clear profits of the said undertaking, 35 Be it enacted, That the said Company or the Directors 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-40 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-45