

Act, and if it shall appear to have been so done, or if any action or suit shall be brought after the time so limited for bringing the same, or if the plaintiff or plaintiffs shall be nonsuit, or discontinue his; her or their action or suit after the defendant or defendants shall have 5 appeared, or if judgment shall be given against the plaintiff or plaintiffs, the defendant or defendants shall have full costs, and shall have such remedy for the same as any defendant or defendants hath or have for costs of suit in other cases by law.

Costs to Defendant if the Plaintiff fail.

10 LI. And be it enacted, That any contravention of this Act by the said Company or by any other party, for which no punishment or penalty is herein provided, shall be a misdemeanour, and shall be punishable accordingly; but such punishment shall not exempt the said Company (if they be the offending party) from the forfeiture of this Act and the privileges hereby conferred on them, if by the provisions thereof 15 or by law the same be forfeited by such contravention.

Any contravention of this Act not otherwise punishable, to be a misdemeanour.

20 LII. And be it enacted, That the said Company to entitle themselves to the benefits and advantages to them granted by this Act, shall and they are hereby required to make and deposit the map or plan and book of reference mentioned in the fifth Section of this Act within five years after the passing thereof, and to make and complete the said Railway from the River Ottawa to the River St. Lawrence in manner aforesaid, within ten years from the passing of this Act: and if the said map or plan and book of reference be not so made and deposited within the said three years, or if the said Railway shall not 25 be so made and completed within the said period so as to be used by the public as aforesaid, then and in either case this Act and every matter and thing therein contained, shall cease and be utterly null and void.

Map and book of reference to be deposited and the Railway to be completed within certain periods, or this Act to be void.

30 LIII. And be it enacted, That the said Company shall annually submit to the three Branches of the Legislature, within the first fifteen days after the opening of each Session of the Provincial Parliament, after the opening of the said Railway or any part thereof to the public, a detailed and particular account, attested upon oath, of the moneys by them received and expended under and by virtue 35 of this Act, with a classified statement of the amount of tonnage and of passengers that have been conveyed along the said Railway; And no further provisions which the Legislature may hereafter make with regard to the form or details of such account, or the mode of attesting or rendering the same, shall be deemed an infringement of 40 the privileges hereby granted to the Company.

Company annually to submit to the Legislature detailed accounts.

Further provision may be made touching such accounts.

LIV. And be it enacted, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to except the Railway by this Act authorized to be made, from the provisions of any general Act relating to Railways which may be passed during the present or any future Session of Parliament.

Company not to be exempted from the operation of any general Railroad law.

45 LV. And be it enacted, That nothing herein contained shall affect or be construed to affect, in any manner or way whatsoever, the rights of Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors; or of any person or persons, or of any bodies politic, corporate or collegiate, such only excepted as are herein mentioned.

Saving of Her Majesty's rights, and of all other persons, &c.

50 LVI. And be it enacted, That this Act shall be a Public Act.

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