

neer shall take surveys and levels of the lands through which the Railroad is to be carried, and make a map or plan.

Plan and book of reference to be made and deposited.

The same to be examined and deposited.

Copies or extracts may be taken and used.

Certified copies to be evidence.

When the Railroad crosses or is carried along any highway, the rail, &c. to be within one inch of the surface.

Precautions to be observed when the Railroad crosses a highway on a level.

Land Surveyor for Lower Canada, and by an Engineer or Engineers by them to be appointed, cause to be taken and made, surveys and levels of the lands through which the said intended Railroad is to be carried, together with a map or plan of such Railroad, and of the course and direction thereof, and of the said lands through which the same is to pass, and the lands intended to be taken for the several purposes authorized by this Act, so far as then ascertained, and also a book of reference for the said Railroad, in which shall be set forth a description of the said several lands, and the names of the owners, occupiers, and proprietors thereof, so far as they can be ascertained by the said Corporation, and in which shall be contained every thing necessary for the right understanding of such map or plan; which said map or plan and book of reference shall be examined and certified by the person performing the duties formerly assigned to the Surveyor General, or his Deputies, who shall deposit copies thereof in the office of the Prothonotary of the Superior Court in the District of Montreal, and also in the office of the Secretary of the Province, and shall also deliver one copy thereof to the said Company; and all persons shall have liberty to resort to such copies so to be deposited as aforesaid, and to make extracts or copies thereof as occasion shall require, paying to the said Secretary of the Province, or to the said Prothonotary, at the rate of *six pence* current money of this Province, for every hundred words; and the said triplicates of the said map or plan and book of reference, so certified, or a true copy or copies thereof, certified by the Secretary of the Province, or by the Prothonotary of the Superior Court in the said District, shall severally be, and are hereby declared to be good evidence in the Courts of Law and elsewhere.

V. Provided always, and be it enacted, That where the said Railroad shall cross or be carried along any public highway, (which word shall in this Act, include all public streets, lanes, or other public ways or communications,) neither the rail nor any other part of the Railroad or works connected therewith, shall rise above the level of such street or highway, or sink below the level of such highway more than one inch; and the said Railroad may be carried across any highway within the limits aforesaid.

VI. Provided always, and be it enacted, That the said Company shall, at each and every place where the said Railway shall cross any highway on a level, erect and keep up a sign-board, stretching across the highway at such height as to leave sixteen feet from the highway to the lower edge of the sign-board, and having the word "RAILWAY CROSSING" painted on each side of such sign-board, in both languages, and in letters not less than six inches in length; and for each and every neglect to comply