

considered to be the property of His Majesty ; and after such default to repair or rebuild the said Bridge, the said *François Huot* and *Joseph Jacob*, their heirs, executors, curators or assigns, shall cease to have any right, title or claim of, in, to or out of the said Bridge or the remaining parts thereof, and the Tolls hereby granted, their right in the premises, shall be wholly and for ever determined.

X. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the road under the high lands of the parishes of Beauport and l'Ange Gardien leading below the Falls of the River Montmorency, and such as the same heretofore existed and does still exist, shall continue to be opened free and public, and shall not be shut up or obstructed, any law and custom to the contrary notwithstanding. Road between the parishes of Beauport and l'Ange Gardien to be continued to be kept up.

XI. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the penalties hereby inflicted, shall, upon proof of the offences respectively before any one or more of the Justices of the Peace for the district of Quebec, either by confession of the Offender, or by the Oath of one or more credible Witness or Witnesses, (which Oath such Justice is hereby empowered and required to administer,) be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of such Offender, by warrant signed by such Justice or Justices, and the overplus, after such penalties and the charges of such distress and sale are deducted, shall be returned upon demand to the owner of such goods and chattels, one half of which penalties, respectively, when paid and levied, shall belong to His Majesty, and the other half to the person suing for the same. Penalties how recoverable.

XII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the money to be levied by virtue of this Act, and not herein before granted to the said *François Huot* and *Joseph Jacob*, their heirs and assigns, and the several Fines and Penalties hereby inflicted, shall be, and the same are hereby granted and reserved to His Majesty, his Heirs and Successors, for the public uses of this Province, and the Government thereof, in manner herein-before set forth and contained ; and the due application of such money, fines and penalties shall be accounted for to His Majesty, his Heirs and Successors, in such manner and form as he or they shall direct, through the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury for the time being. Money levied by this Act and not granted to François Huot & Joseph Jacob, and the several fines and penalties, granted to His Majesty to be accounted for to His Majesty.

XIII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that this Act or any thing herein contained, shall not extend or be construed to extend to lessen, take away or affect the right or privileges of the King's Majesty, his Heirs or Successors, or any person or persons, bodies politic or corporate in or to the principles (except the powers and authorities hereby given to the said *François Huot* and *Joseph Jacob*, and their Heirs and Successors or Assigns, and except such as are expressly altered or This Act not to affect the King's right, &c.