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Owner or Owners, Curator or Guardian of the said Owner or Owners, for the purchase in fee simple of four of the one Acre Lots of which the Town of New Carlisle consists, the said Lots laying together and forming one piece, Lot, or square, for the purpose of erecting thereon the said Gaol with a Court Hall; and the said three Commissioners so to be appointed for the erecting of a Common Gaol with a Court Hall at Percé aforesaid, shall in like manner immediately after being so appointed, treat and agree with the Owner or Owners, Curator or Guardian of the said Owner or Owners, for the purchase in fee simple of a convenient Lot or Piece of Ground in the Town of Percé, whereon to erect the said Common Gaol with a Court Hall at Percé aforesaid: And it shall and may be lawful to and for all Husbands, Guardians, Tutors, Curators, and all Trustees whatsoever, not only on behalf of themselves, but on behalf of the persons for whom they act, whether Minors or issue unborn, Lunatics, Idiots or Femme coverte, or other person or persons who are or shall be seized, possessed of or interested in the said Lots or Pieces of ground, or either of them, on which the said respective Common Gaols with Court Halls, shall be appointed to be erected, to contract or agree and to sell, convey or assure the same unto the said Commissioners respectively for the purposes aforesaid; and the said Commissioners respectively to be named as aforesaid, shall endeavour to agree for the purchase of the aforesaid Lots, and pieces of ground, whereon to build the aforesaid Common Gaols with Court Halls, with the Owner or Owners, or the Curator or Guardian of the said Owner or Owners, as aforesaid; and in case they cannot agree concerning the same, then and in that case, it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Peace of the said Inferior District of Gaspé, or any two of them, and they are hereby required at the request of the said Commissioners respectively, to assemble and hold a special Sessions of the Peace at the place where the said Lots and pieces of ground whereon to erect the said Common Gaols, respectively may be situated; and upon due proof being made of fourteen days notice having been given by the said Commissioners to the Owner or Owners of such Lots, and pieces of ground of their intended application to such special Sessions, the said Justices of the Peace are hereby required to cause and direct the Sheriff of the said Inferior District, to summon a Jury of twelve disinterested men, who, after being duly sworn to appraise and value such Lots and pieces of ground, or any part thereof, at a fair and reasonable price, according to the best of their knowledge, shall proceed to view and value the said Lots and pieces of ground or any part thereof, and shall deliver in a verdict to the said Court, wherein the value and description of such Lot or Lots of ground shall be expressed; and such verdict so delivered in, to the said Court, shall be duly entered and become a verdict of the said Court; and the value of the said Lots and pieces of ground or any part thereof, being thus ascertained, the said Commissioners respectively, shall, immediately pay the same to the Owner or Owners thereof; and in case of refusal, to receive the same or of absence, the money shall be paid into the hands of the Clerk of the Peace of the said Inferior District of Gaspé, which being done, the same shall be held and reckoned a valid discharge of the payment, and with the entry of the verdict as aforesaid, shall be, deemed and taken as a sufficient conveyance