

An Act respecting the Quebec Steamship Company.

WHEREAS the Quebec Steamship Company has, by its Preamble. petition, prayed that it be enacted as hereinafter set forth, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition: Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and
5 consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows :—

1. Section 3 of chapter 108 of the statutes of 1873 is hereby repealed, and the following is substituted therefor :— 1873, c. 108, s. 3 amended.

10 “**3.** The Company may own, build, buy, sell and charter ships, steamboats and other vessels, and employ them in any lawful business whatsoever and wheresoever; buy and sell fruit and other goods and merchandise, and carry on the business of general merchants; also own, construct, buy, sell or lease wharves, roads, stores, buildings or other property
15 required for their own business: Provided always that the annual value of all such wharves, roads, stores, buildings or other property owned or held by the Company in any one county or district at any one time, shall not exceed twenty-five thousand dollars.” Powers and business of company.
Proviso as to real estate.