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the information that shall be so given; And provided also, that the Directors shall not, nor shall anything herein contained be construed to authorize them or any of them to make known the private account or accounts of any person or persons whatever, having dealings with the Bank.

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Bank not to
lend money to
foreign power.

XXXII. It shall not be lawful for the Bank at any time whatever, directly or indirectly, to advance or lend to, or for the use of, or on account of any foreign prince, power or State, any sum or sums of money, or any securities for money; and if such unlawful advance or loan be made, then and from thenceforth the said corporation hereby 10 constituted shall be dissolved, and all the powers, authorities, rights, privileges and advantages hereby granted shall cease and determine, anything in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

How notices
to be given.

XXXIII. The several public notices by this Act required to be given, shall be given by advertisement in one or more of the newspapers 15 published in the County of Welland, and in the *Canada Gazette*, or such other Gazette as shall be generally known and accredited as the Official Gazette, for the publication of official documents and notices emanating from the Civil Government of this Province.

Transfer of
shares in
Great Britain.

XXXIV. Shares of the capital stock of the Bank may be made trans- 20 ferable, and the dividends accruing thereon may be made payable in the United Kingdom, in like manner as such shares and dividends are respectively made transferable and payable at the Bank in the Town of Clifton, and to that end the Directors may from time to time make such rules and regulations, and prescribe such forms, and appoint such agent 25 or agents as they may deem necessary.

Provision for
proving trans-
mission of
shares.

XXXV. If the interest in any share in the said Bank become trans- 30 mitted in consequence of the death or bankruptcy or insolvency of any shareholder, or in consequence of the marriage of a female shareholder, or by any other lawful means than by a transfer according to the provisions of this Act, the Directors may require such transmission to be authenticated by a declaration in writing as hereinafter mentioned, or in such other manner as the Directors of the Bank shall require, and every such declaration or other instrument so signed, made and acknowledged shall be left at the Bank with the Cashier or other Officer or Agent of 35 the Bank, who shall thereupon enter the name of the party entitled under such transmission in the Register of Shareholders, and until such transmission shall have been so authenticated, no party or person claiming by virtue of any such transmission shall be entitled to receive any share of the profits of the Bank, nor to vote in respect of any such share 40 or shares as the holder thereof; Provided always, that every such declaration and instrument as by this and the following section of this Act is required to perfect the transmission of a share of the Bank, and as shall be made in any other country than in this or some other of the British Colonies in North America, or in the United Kingdom of Great Britain 45 and Ireland shall be further authenticated by the British Consul or Vice Consul, or other the accredited representative of the British Government in the country where the declaration shall be made, or shall be made directly before such British Consul or other accredited Representative; And provided also, that nothing in this Act contained shall be held to 50 debar the Directors, Cashier, or other officer or agent of the Bank

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