

LIV. Provided always, and be it enacted, That no such transfer as aforesaid shall be made unless two pounds shall have been previously paid to the treasurer of the said company on each such share or shares so to be transferred, any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the several subscribers to or holders of any shares in the capital of the said company shall not be liable to any debts or demands of the said company beyond the amount of their several and respective shares.

Shareholders not to transfer shares until £2 per share is paid.

LV. And be it further enacted, That no person shall sell or transfer any share which he or she shall possess in the said undertaking after any call shall have been made by the said directors for any sum of money in respect of such share, unless he or she at the time of such sale or transfer shall have paid the full sum of money which shall have been called for in respect of each share so to be sold or transferred.

After a call no share to be sold until call shall be paid.

LVI. And be it further enacted, That the said company or the directors of the said company shall and they are hereby required to cause a true, exact, and particular account to be kept, and annually made up and balanced on the thirtieth day of *November* in each year, of the money received by the said company, or by the directors or treasurer of the said company, or otherwise for the use of the said company, by virtue of this act, and of the charges and expenses attending the making, maintaining, and carrying on the said undertaking, and of all other the receipts and expenditure of the said company or the said directors up to that period; and at the next subsequent yearly meeting of the proprietors of the said undertaking to be from time to time held as aforesaid, or at some adjournment thereof, a dividend shall be made out of the clear profits of the said undertaking; unless such yearly meeting shall declare otherwise, and such dividend shall be at and after the rate of so much *per* share upon the several shares held by the members thereof in the joint stock of the said company as such meeting shall determine; provided always, that no dividend shall be declared or paid until the yearly general meeting which shall be held next after the expiration of two years from the passing of this Act: Provided also, that no dividend shall be made whereby the capital of the said company shall be in any degree reduced or impaired; nor shall any dividend be paid in respect of any share, after a day appointed for payment of any call of money in respect thereof, until such call shall have been paid.

Accounts to be made up annually.

LVII. And whereas by the death of or by other after-mentioned event happening to proprietors, or by the marriage of female proprietors of shares in the said undertaking, it may be difficult to ascertain to whom the dividends arising or becoming due upon such shares ought to be paid or may belong; be it therefore enacted, That before any person who shall claim any part of the profits of the said undertaking in right of marriage with any female proprietor shall be entitled to receive the same, or be entitled to vote in respect of any share, an affidavit, or a solemn affirmation by any person of the society of Quakers in writing, containing a copy of the register of such marriage, or other particulars of the celebration thereof, and identifying the wife as the proprietor of the share in respect whereof any such claim may be made, shall be

For ascertaining the proprietorship of shares in case of marriage or death of proprietors.