

FIFTEENTHLY. The said Corporation shall not directly or indirectly deal in any thing except Bills of Exchange, gold or silver bullion, or in the sale of goods really and truly pledged for money lent, and not redeemed in due time, or in the sale of stock pledged for money lent, and not redeemed; which said goods and stock so pledged, and not redeemed, shall be sold by the said Corporation at public sale, at any time not less than ten days after the period for redemption, without any judgment first obtained, and without any previous suit or proceedings at law—any law, usage, or custom to the contrary notwithstanding. And if upon the sale of such goods or stock, there shall be a surplus, after deducting the expences of sale, over and above the money lent, such surplus shall be paid to the Proprietors of such goods or stock respectively.

VIII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the Notes of the Corporation shall be payable in gold or silver coin, current by the Laws of this Province.

IX. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the share and shares, and dividends of the Stock-holders in the said Corporation, shall be held, considered and adjudged to be personal property, and as such be liable to *bona fide* creditors for debts, and may be attached and sold under Writs of Attachment and Execution, issued out of His Majesty's Courts of this Province, in like manner as other personal property may be attached and sold under such Writs of Attachment and Execution. And in cases where an Attachment may issue for attaching the said share and shares, and dividends, the same shall be served on the Cashier of the said Corporation, who shall be held to certify under the seal of the said Corporation, the number of shares of stock, and the amount of dividends belonging and due to the person or persons against whom such Attachment shall have been obtained; which Certificate shall be equivalent to all intents and purposes, to a Declaration on oath of a Garnishee in other cases; and that when the said share or shares may have been sold, under a Writ or Writs of Execution, the Sheriff by whom such Writ or Writs shall be executed, shall within thirty days after such sale, leave with the Cashier of the said Corporation, an attested copy of the said Writ or Writs of Execution, with the Certificate of such Sheriff indorsed thereon, certifying to whom the sale of the said share or shares, under the said Writ or Writs of Execution, has been by him made; and the person or persons who shall have purchased such share or shares, so sold under such Writ or Writs of Execution, shall be held and considered as Stock-holder, or Stock-