as the holders thereof; but, nevertheless, after the production of such declaration or other evidence of such transmission as may be required in that behalf by any By-law of the Company, such assignees, executors, or administrators, tutors, curators, or husband, as the case may be, shall have 5 the power to transfer the share or shares so transmitted, in the same manner, and subject to the same regulations as any other transfer is to be made.

XIII. At all meetings of the said Directors, and of those hereafter elected Quorum of Diby the shareholders, three shall be a quorum, and capable of exercising all the powers of the said Directors.

XIV. The Annual General Meeting of the said Company shall be held Annual genein the office of the Company, in the city of Montreal, on the first Monday ral meetings. in February in each year, for the purpose of electing Directors, and for transacting the general business of the Company; at this meeting, the President of the Company, or, in his absence, the Vice-President, and in 15 the absence of both, then one of the Directors, shall take the chair; and Chairman. shareholders may appear in person or by proxy, provided the holder of such proxy be a shareholder in the Company, and each share in the Company Votes. shall give one vote, and if on any question there be an equality of votes, the Chairman shall have the casting vote.

XV. The Directors elected at the annual meeting aforesaid, shall assem- Election of ble within one month of their election, and shall then elect from amongst President, &c. themselves, by a majority of votes of those present, a President, and a Vicepresident; the President, or in his absence, the Vice-president, may call He may call meetings of the Directors as often as occasion may require.

meetings.

XVI. The Directors of the said Company may act as Directors of this Directors may Province, or elsewhere, and shall and may appoint one or more agents in exercise their this Province or elsewhere, and for such time, and on such terms as to them powers out of shall seem expedient, and the Directors may by any By-law to be made for such purpose, empower and authorize any such agent or agents to do and 30 perform any act or thing, or to exercise any powers which the Directors themselves, or any of them, may lawfully do, perform and exercise, except Exception. the power of making By-laws; and all things done by any such agent by virtue of the powers in him vested by such By-law, shall be valid and effectual to all intents and purposes as if done by such Directors themselves;

35 anything in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

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XVII. The Directors aforesaid shall have the power, if they think fit, to Steamers may receive and take into the stock of the said Company, such Steamers as be taken as may have already been built or acquired by individual shareholders, for the stock. purposes of this Company.

XVIII. The Directors of the Company shall take the said Steamers at How the their cost, or at such valuation as shall be put upon them by persons mutually chosen to decide the same, and such valuation shall be credited to the shareholders as payment made on account of their stock, but no shareholder shall be entitled to claim, from the Directors, any money payment for such 45 Steamers so taken into stock of the Company, unless by special agreement to that effect.

XIX. All acts done by any person or persons acting as Directors, shall, Acts of Direcnotwithstanding there may have been some defect in the appointment of any tors de facto such person or persons, or that they or any of them were disqualified, be