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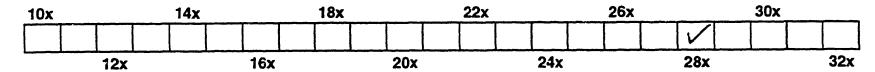
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WHEREAS there are some Parishes which are situate partly Preamble. in one County and partly in another, and in such cases the valuation of the real property in the said Parishes is made by two different bodies of Assessors; And whereas an assessment for the building of a Church, Parsonage-house and its 5 dependencies, Sacristry and Churchyard, based on such partial valuations, may not be equitable; Be it therefore enacted, &c.,

That for and notwithstanding the seventeenth paragraph of the Mode of valuathirty-third Section of the Act passed in the Session held in the tion in Parishes lying 10 tenth and eleventh years of Her Majesty's Reign, chaptered seven, partly in one and intituled, "An Act to make better provision for the establishment of Municipal Authorities in Lower Canada," whenever a there is no there is no Parish shall be situate partly in one County and partly in another, Municipality or when there shall be no Municipal Council in operation in the in operation. 15 Municipality in which the Parish is situate, then the Trustees lawfully appointed for the construction of Churches, Sacristies, Churchyards, Parsonage-houses and their dependencies, or the majority thereof, or three persons, being proprietors of real estate in the said Parish, appointed by them, shall be and they are hereby 20 authorized to make, or cause to be made, a valuation and Assessment Roll of the real property situate in the said Parish, and shall

II. And be it enacted, That the Assessment Roll so drawn up Publication of 25 shall remain open for inspection, from ten in the morning until three Assessment in the afternoon of every day, during one calendar month, Sundays and obligatory holidays excepted; and public notice of the time and place 2: which the said Assessment Roll shall be deposited for inspection shall be given on the two Sundays preceding the de-30 posit of the same, and read and posted at the door of the Church or Chapel, or other public place of worship in the said Parish, or if there be none therein, at the door of one of the most frequented houses of the said Parish.

enjoy the same powers and authority as if they had been appointed

Assessors by the Municipal Council.

III. And be it enacted, That the said Trustees or the majority Objections 35 thereof shall meet, after public notice to that effect given as above against the Assessment Roll, how to mentioned, on the twentieth and thirtieth days after the said Roll be heard and shall have been deposited for inspection, or if such days shall happen to fall upon a Sunday or obligatory holiday, then on the day following, from nine in the morning until four in the afternoon, to hear and determine the claims or complaints brought by interested parties against the said valuation and Assessment Roll.

After such hearing, the Roll to be valid,

IV. And be it enacted, That after the expiration of the period during which the said Roll shall have been open to inspection, the person at whose residence the same shall have been deposited, shall attest, by a certificate sworn to before a Magistrate of the 10 Parish, (or of the County, if there be none in the Parish,) that the said Roll was kept open as above required; and the said Roll shall thereupon, for all the purposes for which the said Trustees shall have been appointed, have full force and effect as if it had been drawn up by the Municipal Council.