

the receipt, management or expenditure of any sum or sums of money collected for the purpose of the said Society, all such fees, reward or compensation as they shall think fit.

II. And be it enacted, That the said Benevolent Society shall and may invest and dispose of all such sum or sums of money as shall have been collected or paid for the purposes, expenses and objects of the said Society, the immediate expenditure or application of which is not required, in the purchase of Provincial Debentures, or of the Bonds of any corporate bodies in this Province, as the said Society shall think fit, the restrictions imposed under the sixth Section of the said Act, and the provision made under the said Act for the loaning, investment and disposal of the said money by the said Society notwithstanding: and that the said Society shall and may invest and dispose of such sums of money, being at their disposal, either in the manner appointed by the said Act, or in the purchase of Provincial Debentures, or of the Bonds of any corporate bodies in this Province, as aforesaid.

How moneys of the said Society may be invested.

III. And be it enacted, That the Interpretation Act shall apply to this Act and to the Act hereby amended.

Interpretation.

## C A P . L X I V .

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate certain persons under the name of the "*Quebec Friendly Society.*"

[10th November, 1852.]

**W**HEREAS the President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer of the Friendly Society of Quebec, pray for certain amendments to the Act of Incorporation of the said Society, and it is expedient for the general advantage thereof to make the same: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, *An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada*, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That that part of the fourth Section of the said Act by which it is enacted that "such Treasurer or Treasurers, Trustee or Trustees, and all and every other officer or officers or other persons whatever, who shall be appointed to any office in any wise touching or concerning the receipt, management or expenditure of any sum or sums of money collected for the purposes of the said Society, shall execute the duties of such office without any fee, reward or compensation whatever," be and it is hereby repealed, and that all and every the said words be and they are hereby struck out of the said Section; and that it is and may be lawful for the

Preamble.

Part of s. 4 of Act of L. C., 57 Geo. III, c. 39, repealed.

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Treasurers and other officers may be paid.

the said Society to allow to the said Treasurer or Treasurers, Trustee or Trustees, and to any other officer or officers or other persons whatsoever, who are or shall be appointed to any office in any wise touching or concerning the receipt, management or expenditure of any sum or sums of money collected for the purpose of the said Society, all such fees, reward or compensation as they shall think fit, and most conducive to the interest and advantage of the said Society.

How the funds of the Society not immediately required may be invested.

II. And be it enacted, That the said Friendly Society shall and may invest and dispose of all such sum or sums of money as have been or shall be at any time hereafter collected or paid for the purpose and objects of the said Society, the immediate expenditure or application of which is not required, in the purchase of Provincial Debentures or of the Bonds of any corporate bodies in this Province, as the said Society shall think fit and profitable, all provisions and restrictions, and the provisions made in the said Act for the loaning, investment and disposal of the money of the said Society, to the contrary notwithstanding; and that the said Society shall and may loan, invest and dispose of such sums of money, being at their disposal, either in the manner provided by the said Act, or in the purchase of Provincial Debentures or of the Bonds of any corporate bodies in this Province, as they shall deem most expedient and advantageous.

Interpretation.

III. And be it enacted, That the Interpretation Act shall apply to this Act and to the Act hereby amended.

## C A P . L X V .

An Act to authorize François Daigle and Alexis Dufresne to demand Tolls upon a Bridge which they have constructed on the Northern Branch of the River Yamaska.

[10th November, 1852.]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS François Daigle and Alexis Dufresne, of the Parish of St. Damase, yeomen, have, at their own cost and charges, erected and constructed a bridge over the Northern branch of the Yamaska River, in the Parish of St. Damase, in the County of St. Hyacinthe, opposite the by-road leading direct from the river to the Church of the said Parish; And whereas they have prayed by their petition, to be authorized to levy Tolls on the said bridge: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, *An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada*, and it is hereby