

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

CHAPTER 138.

DEMERARA COMPANY, LIMITED, (SLUICE).

[No. XXXIII of 1924.]

[12th July, 1924.]

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Demerara Company, Limited, (Sluice) Ordinance.

Company authorised to erect sluice.

2. The Demerara Company, Limited, is hereby empowered at its own expense to place a reinforced concrete sluice fourteen feet in width at the mouth of no. 3 canal, on the east bank of the Demerara river, and the Company shall at all times at like expense maintain the sluice in good and sufficient repair, and the sluice and the position thereof shall be subject to the approval of the Director of Public Works.

Company to erect and maintain watch house.

3. The Company shall at its own expense erect and maintain a watch-house adjoining or near the said sluice, of a size approved by the Director of Public Works, and shall permit the free storage therein, for a reasonable time and pending removal, of all provisions and supplies in transit to and from Georgetown by the canal, but nothing herein contained shall render the Company liable for any loss of those provisions or supplies while so stored.

Saving of navigation rights; and

4. Except as contained in this Ordinance or as consequent on the works hereby authorised or directed, the free navigation of the canal by all persons having business there shall not be prevented or obstructed.

crown and public rights.

5. Nothing in this Ordinance shall be deemed to invalidate any right of His Majesty, his heirs or successors, or of any body politic or corporate, or of any other persons and of those mentioned in this Ordinance and the persons claiming from or through them.

