No. 13.]

BILL.

[1904.

An Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

WHEREAS the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has Preamble. prayed that it be enacted as hereinafter set forth, and it 1900, c. 55; is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition: There-1902, c. 52. fore His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the 5 Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:-

1. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company, hereinafter Time for called "the Company," may commence within two years and construction extended. complete within five years after the passing of this Act, the railway which it was authorized by chapter 55 of the statutes 10 of 1900 to construct from a point on the Company's railway at

or near New Westminster, thence to Vancouver by such route as may be found most direct and feasible, and the railway which it was authorized by chapter 52 of the statutes of 1902 to construct in the province of Quebec from a point at or near 15 Piles Junction on the North Shore Railway, or from a point on the Piles Branch of that railway, thence in a north-westerly direction to Shawenegan Falls, and thence in a north-easterly

direction to Grand-Mère.

2. If the Company fails to commence and complete the Time for 20 railways mentioned in this Act within the times limited, the construction powers granted for their construction shall construction about powers granted for their construction shall cease and determine as to so much thereof as then remains uncompleted.