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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

CAP CXL.

An Act to incorporate the Cataraqui Cemetery Company.

[10th August, 1850.]

HEREAS it hath become necessary to the health of the City of Kingston that Preamble. a Public Cemetery should be established near to, but without the limits thereof, and the persons hereinafter named have associated themselves together for the purpose of establishing such Cemetery, and have prayed that they and their successors be incorporated and divers powers conferred on them for the purpose aforesaid, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said Petition: 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 Thomas Kirkpatrick, Alexander Campbell, Samuel Rowlands, James J. Burroughs, Maxwell W. Strange, Neil McLeod, Thomas A. Corbett, William G. Hinds, William Allan Geddes, and such others as are now and may hereafter become subscribers in the undertaking hereinafter mentioned, and their successors for ever, shall be and are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate in fact and in name, by the name of "The Cataraqui Cemetery Company."

II. And be it enacted, That the capital of the Company shall be Two thousand Capital limited. pounds, which shall be divided into shares of Twenty-five pounds each, and shall be transferable on the Books of the Corporation, in such manner as the Corporation shall

by its By-laws direct.

III. And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the said Corporation to acquire, What land the Cortake, and hold a lot or tract of land within the Township of Kingston, not exceeding two hundred acres; and to sell, or otherwise dispose of such land or lots to be used exclusively as a Cemetery or place of Burial for the dead: Provided always, that the deed of sale of any lot in the said Cemetery or place of Burial shall be in the form of the Schedule A to this Act annexed; And provided also, that the real estate of the Proviso: exemption said Corporation, and the said lots when conveyed by the Corporation to individual from taxation, &c. proprietors, shall be exempt from assessment and taxation, and shall not be liable to be sold under execution, or to be subject to be applied to the payment of debts by any bankrupt, insolvent or other law.

IV. And be it enacted, That all moneys received for or on account of the said Capital Stock, shall be first applied by the said Corporation to the payment of the purchase money of the land which may be acquired by the Corporation; and any residue thereof, together with at least one half of the money obtained for sales of lots, shall be applied to improving or embellishing such land as a Cemetery or Burial

Ground.

V. And be it enacted, That the said Thomas Kirkpatrick and Alexander Campbell Commissioners for reshall be Commissioners to receive subscriptions to the said Capital Stock; they shall open Books at such places, and after having given such notice, as they deem expedient;

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Corporate name.

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Proviso.

Application of capital.

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