

An Act to incorporate the Anglo-French Telegraph Company (Limited).

WHEREAS a petition has been presented, praying that it Preamble.
 be enacted as hereinafter set forth, and it is expedient
 to grant the prayer of the said petition : Therefore Her Majesty,
 by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House
 5 of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows :—

1. The Right Honourable Lord Thurlow and Theodore Van- Incorporation.
 Puten, of the city of London, England ; Edward Friedburg of
 the county of Surrey, England ; William Murray, of the city
 of Vancouver, in the province of British Columbia ; Allen
 10 Haley, of the town of Windsor, in the province of Nova Scotia ;
 and Isaac Burpee, of the city of St. John, in the province of New
 Brunswick ; together with such persons as become share-
 holders in the company, are hereby incorporated under the
 name of "The Anglo-French Telegraph Company (Limited)," Corporate
 15 hereinafter called "the Company." name.

2. The head office of the Company shall be in the city of Head office.
 London, England, or at such other place in the United King-
 dom, or in Canada, as the directors from time to time deter-
 mine by by-law.

20 3. The persons named in section 1 of this Act are hereby Provisional
 constituted the first or provisional directors of the Company, directors.
 and they may forthwith open stock books, and procure sub-
 scriptions of stock, and receive payments on account of stock
 subscribed, and carry on the business of the Company.

25 2. Any of the said provisional directors may vote and act Proxies.
 by proxy, but such proxies shall be held by provisional
 directors only, and no provisional director shall hold more than
 two proxies.

4. The capital stock of the Company shall be one hundred Capital stock.
 30 thousand pounds sterling, divided into shares of one pound
 sterling each. Such capital stock shall be issued in whole or
 in part as the directors determine, and may be called up from
 time to time as they deem necessary.

5. When and so soon as twenty-five per cent of the capital First general
 35 stock has been subscribed, and ten per cent of that amount meeting.
 has been paid into some chartered bank, the provisional direct-
 ors shall call a meeting of the shareholders of the Company at
 some place to be named by the provisional directors, at which
 general meeting the shareholders present or represented by