

An Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

WHEREAS the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has, Preamble.
 by its petition, prayed for the passing of an Act for the
 purposes hereinafter set forth, and it is expedient to grant the
 prayer of the said petition: Therefore Her Majesty, by and
 5 with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of
 Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:—

1. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company, hereinafter
 called "the Company," may construct, acquire and operate a Line of
 railway
 described.
 railway between a point on the southern shore of Minnehaha
 10 Lake and the north-east bay of Upper Manitou Lake; also
 between a point on the southern shore of Cedar Lake and
 Manitou Sound, an arm of Rainy Lake, the said railways
 being portions of a route for the transportation of goods and
 passengers between Wabigoon and Rainy River.

2. In addition to branch lines from any point on the main Connecting
 lines.
 line of the Company, as described in section fourteen of the
 contract between Her Majesty the Queen and the Company,
 confirmed by chapter 1 of the statutes of 1881, the Company 1881, c. 1.
 may construct, acquire and operate any railway forming a con-
 20 necting link in any route for the transportation of goods and
 passengers to and from any point in the district of Thunder
 Bay and Rainy River in the province of Ontario, and from
 any point in the province of British Columbia on any line of
 railway operated by the Company, the other portion or por-
 25 tions of such route to be traversed by steam vessels or other
 boats or vehicles.

3. The rights and liabilities of the Company in respect of Bonds on such
 lines.
 bonds to be issued in aid of the construction of the said
 branches, and of securing the payment thereof, shall be the
 30 same as if such branches were constructed under the Com-
 pany's charter, or the said contract so confirmed as aforesaid.

4. The Company may construct, acquire and operate rope- Ropeways and
 tramways.
 ways for the transportation of ores and other freight, and also
 tramways to or from any point in the province of British
 35 Columbia on any railway operated by the Company, and shall
 have all such powers for the expropriation of land requisite
 for the convenient construction and operation of such works
 as are given by *The Railway Act* to railway companies for
 railway purposes.