

An Act to incorporate the Comox and Cape Scott
Railway Company.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented praying that it 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 of Commons of Canada, declares and enacts as follows:—

Preamble.

1. James Dunsmuir, Robert Milne Jeffrey, James Albert Lindsay, Leonard Hollis Solly and Henry Kendell Prior, all of the city of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, together with such persons as become shareholders in the company, are hereby incorporated under the name of "The Comox and Cape Scott Railway Company," hereinafter called "the Company."

Incorporation.

Corporate name.

2. The undertaking of the Company is hereby declared to be a work for the general advantage of Canada.

Declaratory.

3. The persons named in section 1 of this Act are hereby constituted provisional directors of the Company.

Provisional directors.

4. The capital stock of the Company shall be ten million dollars, and may be called up by the directors from time to time as they deem necessary, but no one call shall exceed ten per cent on the shares subscribed.

Capital stock.

5. The head office of the Company shall be in the city of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, or in such other place in Canada as the directors from time to time may determine by by-law.

Head office.

6. The annual meeting of the shareholders shall be held on the first Wednesday in September in each year.

Annual meeting.

7. At such meeting the subscribers for the capital stock assembled, who have paid all calls due on their shares, shall choose five persons to be directors of the Company, one or more of whom may be paid directors.

Election of directors.

8. The Company may lay out, construct, and operate a railway of the gauge of four feet eight and one-half inches from a point in Comox district, Vancouver Island, situate on or near the 50th parallel of latitude on or near to the east coast of Vancouver Island, thence northerly through Sayward

Line of railway described.