

servants, to make and complete a Rail-way to be called *The Grand Trunk Rail-way of Canada East*, from some point on the Quebec and Richmond Rail-way, opposite or nearly opposite to the City of Quebec, on the South shore of the River St. Lawrence, to Trois-Pistoles, with such branches to any point or points on the said River as they may find necessary or convenient, and the said Rail-way and branches shall be made upon such line or lines as the said Company shall, after actual survey, determine upon with the consent of the Governor in Council: and the said Rail-way (but not the branches thereof) shall form part of the Main Trunk Line of Rail-way throughout the length of this Province, and the guarantee of the Province shall be extended to the said Company accordingly, subject to the provisions hereinafter made.

Railway to form part of the Main Trunk Line.

Certain clauses of 14 & 15 Vict. c. 51, incorporated with this Act.

Exception to provisions of the said clauses.

Further exception.

Expression "this act" defined.

II. And be it enacted, That the several clauses of *The Rail-way Clauses Consolidation Act*, with respect to the first, second, third and fourth clauses thereof, and also the several clauses of the said Act with respect to "Interpretation," "Incorporation," "Powers," "Plans and Surveys," "Lands and their valuation," "Highways and Bridges," "Fences," "Tolls," "General Meetings," "Directors—their Election and Duties," "Shares and their Transfer," "Municipalities," "Shareholders," "Actions for indemnity, and fines and penalties and their prosecution," "Working of the Rail-way," and "General Provisions," shall be incorporated in this Act, with the following modification of the ninth provision in the clause of the said Act, with respect to "Plans and Surveys," that is to say: that lands to the extent of twenty acres may be taken for stations, depôts or fixtures at such three places on the line of the said Road as the Company may think proper, without the consent of the proprietor thereof: and with the exception of the sixth provision in the clause of the said Act with respect to "General Provisions," in lieu of which it is hereby enacted, that in the event of the Rail-way hereby authorized to be made, not being commenced within two years from the date of the Proclamation incorporating the said Company, or not being completed within six years from the date of the said Proclamation, it shall be lawful for the Governor of this Province, by Proclamation, under the Great Seal thereof, to revoke the Charter contained in this Act, and the same shall thereupon become and be null and void and of no effect whatever, in so far as regards so much of the Rail-way hereby authorized to be made, as shall not at the date of the said Proclamation be completed and open for public use; and with the further exception of any enactments in the said clauses which may be inconsistent with the express provisions and enactments of this Act in like matters: And the expression "this Act," when used herein, shall be understood to include all the clauses of *The Rail-way Clauses Consolidation Act*, which are incorporated with this Act.