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An Act to incorporate the "Canada Mutual Telegraph Company."

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WHEREAS the Canada Mutual Telegraph Company, Preamble. which has been incorporated under "The Canada Joint Stock Companies' Act, 1877," has, by petition, prayed for a special Act of incorporation, with the extended powers 5 hereinafter set forth; and it is desirable 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, enacts as follows :-

I. Charles Rudolph Hosmer, Edward Nassau Heney. Certain per-10 Alexander Fowler Riddell, George Burchell Williams, and sons incor-ported. John Franklin Olmstead and their associates, and all other porated. persons who are now or may hereafter become shareholders in the Canada Mutual Telegraph Company, are hereby con-stituted a body politic and corporate by the name of "The Short title 15 Canada Mutual Telegraph Company," hereinafter called "the and head office.

Company," and the head office of the Company shall be in the city of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, until the same shall be removed as hereinafter provided for.

2. The said Canada Mutual Telegraph Company, incor-Properties 20 porated under "The Canada Joint Stock Companies' Act, and rights 1877," is hereby merged in and declared to be the Canada charter to Mutual Telegraph Company incorporated by this Act, and remain at tached to all the properties, rights, credits, debts and liabilities be-Company. longing to or attached to the said first mentioned company 25 are hereby declared to belong and be attached to the said

Canada Mutual Telegraph Company incorporated by this Act.

3. If the Company at any time desire to remove the head Removal of office from one place in Canada to another place in Canada head office. 30 they shall have the power to do so by a by-law to such effect, which said by-law shall be forthwith published in the Canada Gazette for a period of eight weeks thereafter, and upon and from the last of such publications the said head office shall be thereby and thereafter transferred and 35 removed in accordance with the terms of the said by-law so

published.

4. The Company shall have power to establish, construct. Powers and work a line or lines of telegraph from and to any granted.