

An Act to amend an Act intituled "*An Act to incorporate the Village of Kemptville,*" and to legalize the late election for Village Councillors held thereunder.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the legality of the Election of Village Councillors, held in the Village of Kemptville, on the first Monday in the month of January last past, under and by virtue of a certain Act of the Parliament of this Province, passed in the Session held in the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled "*An Act to incorporate the Village of Kemptville,*" and also as to the qualification of the persons so elected at the said Election; and it is expedient to remove such doubts: Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

Preamble.

I. The said Election is hereby declared legal, and the persons elected duly qualified to act as Councillors of the said Village, notwithstanding their not having taken and subscribed the oath of qualification required by the Municipal Corporations Acts.

The election in 1857, declared legal.

II. The Reeve elected and appointed at the first meeting of the said Councillors to represent the said Municipality of the Village of Kemptville in the Municipal Council of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, is and shall be entitled to sit and act as a member of the said Municipal Council without producing the certificate of having taken the oath of qualification required by the said Municipal Corporations Acts, and is, and shall be entitled to act as Reeve for the said Village of Kemptville in every respect, in the same manner as if the said certificate had actually been given, and he had taken and subscribed the oath of qualification therein required.

Reeve of Kemptville entitled to sit in the County Council.

III. The said Municipality shall be entitled to receive, and it shall be the duty of the Municipality of the Township of Oxford from time to time, to transfer and deliver to the said Municipality of the Village of Kemptville, stock or scrip for stock in the Ottawa and Prescott Railway Company, to the extent of any sum or sums of money that the said Municipality of the Village of Kemptville may pay as its proportion of the debt due by the said Municipality of the Township of Oxford for stock subscribed in the said Railway Company.

Kemptville to have its fair proportion of certain Railway Stock or Scrip

IV. This Act shall be deemed a Public Act.

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