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BILL.

An Act respecting the Bronsons and Weston Lumber Company, and to change its name to the Bronson Company.

HEREAS the Bronsons and Weston Lumber Company Preamble. has, by its petition, prayed 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 5 consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows :---

1. The name of the Bronsons and Weston Lumber Company, Name hereinafter called " the Company," is hereby changed to " The changed. Bronson Company," but such change in name shall not, in any Existing 10 way, impair, alter, or affect the rights or liabilities of the Company, nor in any wise affect any suit or proceeding now pending, or judgment existing, either by, or in favour of, or against the Company, which, notwithstanding such change in the name of the Company, may be prosecuted, continued, completed and 15 enforced as if this Act had not been passed, and nothing in this Act shall be construed so as to lessen the liability of the shareholders of the Company to the present creditors thereof.

2. In addition to the powers granted by chapter 103 of the Business of statutes of 1888, the Company may carry on, throughout Canada Company. 20 and elsewhere, the business of producing, manufacturing, leas- 1888, e. 103. ing, selling, purchasing, hiring, or otherwise dealing in, minerals and metals, and their products, electricity, matches, sashes, doors and woodenware of all kinds, and pulp and paper of all kinds, and may acquire any real and personal property, and 25 any patent rights, rights, or privileges, which the Company thinks necessary or convenient for the purposes of its business, and may sell, improve, manage, develop, exchange, lease, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal in or with, all or any part of the property and rights of the Company, 30 and may do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainments of the objects of the Company.

3. The capital stock of the Company is hereby reduced to Capital three hundred thousand dollars, and the existing shares are reduced. hereby converted into three thousand new shares of one hundred 35 dollars each; and every person who is a paid-up shareholder shall be entitled to one paid-up share of such new shares for every two of the old paid-up shares held by him at the time of the passing of this Act.

4. The register of the shareholders of the Company shall be Register to be amended. 40 amended in accordance with the provisions of this Act.