

Recital.

Company may use its funds on works in the United States.

XI. And whereas the Great Western Railway Company, in order to form connections with Railways in the United States of America, has to lay down its rails out of the Province of Canada and to provide facilities at stations and otherwise, for consolidating its traffic; Therefore the Great Western Railway Company shall have full power and authority to use its funds in providing proper connections and in promoting its traffic with Railways in the United States of North America, provided that no such expenditure shall be incurred unless sanctioned by a General Meeting of the shareholders of the Company. 5

Recital.

The Company might and may transfer shares, &c., at their office in London, England.

XII. Whereas, under the earlier Acts incorporating the Great Western Railway Company, an office for the Transfer of Stock was established in England in the City of London, and a section of the Board of Directors appointed there have exercised certain Ministerial functions, parts of which said Acts have been repealed and parts relating thereto are yet in force, and to make clear those portions of the Acts which are unrepealed; Therefore it is declared and enacted, that the said Company has had and shall have full power and authority to establish and maintain an office in England in the City of London, for the purpose of regulating and carrying on the business of issuing and transferring shares and bonds and generally to do all matters and things that may be necessary or desirable in regard to the transferring or arrangements connected with the capital of the Company held out of Canada, and that all such acts and proceedings shall be considered precisely the same as if carried on in the office of the Company in Canada. 10 15 20

Recital.

Height and span of arches over Highways.

XIII. And whereas there is no express provision for the width between the arches of Bridges erected or to be erected, in the Acts incorporating the Great Western Railway Company, and it is proper to provide for the same as is required by the General Railway Clauses Consolidation Act; Therefore the span of the arch of any Bridge erected for carrying the Railway over or across any highway shall at all times be and be continued of the open and clear breadth and space under such arch of not less than twenty feet, and of a height from the surface of such highway to the centre of such arch, of not less than twelve feet, and the descent under any such bridge shall not exceed one foot in twenty feet. 25 30

Company may cut down trees standing near their Road.

XIV. And for further assimilation to the Railway Clauses Consolidation Act, the Company shall have power and authority to fell or remove any trees standing in any woods, lands, or forests where the Railway shall pass to the distance of six rods from either side thereof. 35

Recital.

This clause and clauses 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, and 24 are general, and ought to be in a General and not a Private Bill, or limited to the G. W. R. Company. Constables on Railways may be appointed by Quarter Sessions.

XV. Whereas robberies and outrages are frequently committed on Railways in this Province, and it is expedient that power be given to appoint Constables for better keeping the peace and for the prevention and detection of crime along the line of such Railways and in the neighborhood thereof; Therefore, it shall be lawful for the Justices of the Peace for any County through which any Railway passes, assembled at any General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, on the application of the Committee or Board of Directors, acting in the management of the affairs of the Company or Proprietors of any such Railways as aforesaid, or of any Clerk or Agent of any such Company, duly authorized by such Committee or Board of Directors, to appoint so many persons as they shall think fit from among those who shall be recommended to them for that purpose by such Company or Proprietors, Clerk or Agent, to act as 40 45 50