



BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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No. 11.

An Ordinance to extend "The Thompson Bridge Toll Act, 1864."

[1st May, 1868.]

WHEREAS, in consequence of delays and unforeseen difficulties in the construction of "Spence's Bridge" over the Thompson River, arising from natural causes over which the Contractor had no control, it is expedient to extend "The Thompson Bridge Toll Act, 1864," in manner hereinafter appearing; Preamble.

Be it enacted by the Governor of British Columbia, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

I. "The Thompson Bridge Toll Act, 1864," together with the provisions, penalties, and remedies thereof, is hereby extended, and all and singular the powers, rights, tolls, and privileges by the said Ordinance accorded to Thomas Spence therein mentioned, his executors, administrators, and assigns, shall be and are hereby extended and continued to him and them for and during the further period of two and a half years beyond the term prescribed for him and their enjoyment of such powers and privileges conferred on him and them, under the said "Thompson Bridge Toll Act, 1864." Extends privileges granted by "The Thompson Bridge Toll Act, 1864." **NEVERTHELESS**, with and subject to all and singular the covenants, conditions, and stipulations in the said Ordinance respectively mentioned or referred to, *mutatis mutandis*, as if the said term so extended had been originally inserted in the said Ordinance.

II. Provided that the powers and privileges hereby accorded are granted upon the further condition that the said Thomas Spence, his executors, administrators, and assigns, shall at all times during the continuance undetermined of the said powers and privileges conferred on him and them, under or by virtue of "The Thompson Bridge Toll Act, 1864," and of this Ordinance, and either of them, maintain and keep the said Bridge and its approaches in good and proper repair and working order, to the satisfaction of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and Surveyor General, or his agent. Conditions of extension.

III. Provided, also, that it shall be lawful for the Governor or other Officer Administering the Government of British Columbia, at any time hereafter, to redeem all and singular the aforesaid powers and privileges at any time during the continuance of the said extended term of two and a half years hereby accorded, upon payment to the said Thomas Spence, his executors, administrators, or assigns, of such reasonable compensation therefor as shall be named in that behalf by any Arbitrator to be agreed upon between the said Chief Commissioner and the said Thomas Spence, his executors, administrators, or assigns, within one calendar month after any notice to him or them in writing from the said Chief Commissioner in that Provides for redemption.