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An Act to Incorporate "The Kingston and Toronto Junction Railroad Company."

WHEREAS it is desirable, in carrying out the design Preamble.

of a main trunk line of Railroad through the Province of Canada, that a Company should be incorporated for the purpose of constructing so much of the said Railroad as may extend from the City of Kingston to the City of Toronto: and whereas Francis Manning Hill, Mayor of the City of Kingston; David Roblin, Warden of the United Counties of Frontenac, Lennox and Addington; George Benjamin, Warden of the County of Hastings; William Hamilton Ponton, Mayor of the Town of Bellville; Asa Allworth Burnham, Warden of the United Counties of Northumberland and Durham; William Weller, Mayor of the Town of Cobourg; James Smith, Mayor of the Town of Port Hope; and John George Bowes, Mayor of the City of Toronto, have petitioned for the passing of a law incorporating a Joint Stock Company for the purpose of constructing a single or double track iron Railroad or Way, to extend from Kingston to Toronto aforesaid; Be it therefore enacted, &c.,

That the said Francis Manning Hill, David Roblin, George Benjamin, William Hamilton Ponton, Asa Allworth Burnham, William Weller, James Smith, and John George Bowes, with all such other persons or Corporations as shall become Stockholders in such Joint Stock Company as is hereinafter mentioned, shall be and are hereby ordained, constituted and declared to be, a body corporate and politic in fact, by and under the name and style of "*The Kingston and Toronto Junction Railroad Company,*" and by that name they and their successors shall and may have continued succession, and by such name shall be capable of contracting and being contracted with, of suing and being sued, of pleading and being impleaded, answering and being answered unto, in all Courts and places whatsoever, in all manner of actions, suits, complaints, matters and concerns whatsoever, and they and their successors may and shall have a common seal; and may change and alter the same at their will and pleasure; and also that they and their successors, by the same name of "*The Kingston and Toronto Junction Railroad Company,*" shall by law be capable of purchasing, having and holding to them and their successors any estate, real or personal, or mixed, to and for the use of the said Company, and of letting, conveying or otherwise depart-

Certain persons incorporated.