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BILL.

An Act to incorporate a Company for the Erection of a Hotel in the Town of London.

WHEREAS William Barker, James M. Bennett, Samuel Sexton Pomroy, Freamble. Murray Anderson, Edward Adams, Lawrence Lawrason, Ellis W. Hyman, Samuel Morley the younger, Samuel Peters, John Blair, James Cousins, Thomas Cadham, Edward Emery, Finlay McFee, Thomas Scatcherd, 5 William T. Kiely, John Jennings, and others, have by their Petition represented that it has been proposed to form a Joint Stock Company, for the purpose of crecting the necessary buildings for a Hotel in the Town of London, to be used as a Hotel for the convenience of Travellers and for Stores, and that upwards of eight thousand pounds have already been subin scribed for that purpose, and in order to carry the said object into execution, they have prayed for an Act of Incorporation : And whereas it is desirable to grant the prayer of the said Petition; Be it therefore enacted, &c., as follows:

The said persons and all other persons who now are or shall hereafter be- Certain per-15 come Stockholders in the said Company, shall be and are hereby ordained, some incorpoconstituted and appointed and declared to be a body corporate and politic, in fact and in name, by the name and style of "The London Hotel Com- Corporate pany," and by that name shall be capable of suing and being sued, plead name and and being impleaded, answer and being answered unto in all Courts and powers.

- 20 places whatsoever, of contracting and being contracted with, and shall have continual succession and a common seal, with power to change and alter the same at pleasure, and that they and their successors shall be capable in law of purchasing, having and holding to them and their successors any real or personal estate for the convenient and proper management of their busi-
- 25 ness, and the erection of the buildings authorized by this Act, and of letting, conveying or otherwise departing therewith, for the benefit and on behalf of the Company, from time to time as they shall deem necessary and expepedient.

II. The Capital of the said Company shall be twenty-five thousand pounds, Amount of 30 current money of this Province, divided into one thousand shares of twenty- Capital stock five pounds each, with power to increase the said Capital Stock to thirty- Power to infive thousand pounds, and the said shares shall be and are hereby vested in crease the the Shareholders, and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, to their proper use and behoof, proportionately to the 35 sums subscribed and paid by each of the said Shareholders respectively; and the said Shareholders may sell, lease, give or alienate the shares held by them, whenever and so often as they shall think fit, subject to the Bylaws of the Company, to be made by the Board of Directors to be appointed as hereinafter provided.

40 III. Every Shareholder shall, in proportion to the number of shares held Payment of by him, pay in the manner prescribed by this Act, his just portion of the inhabitants.

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