

THE PACIFIC R. R.

The Syndicate to Have Absolute Control of the Road.

The subsidy, Twenty-Five Million Dollars, and Twenty-Five Million Acres.

OTTAWA, Dec. 10. The terms of the Pacific Railway Syndicate have at last been made known, and are set forth in the contract as follows: This contract and agreement between Her Majesty the Queen, acting in respect of the Dominion of Canada, and herein represented, and acting by the Hon. Sir Charles Tupper, K. C. M. G., Minister of Railways and Canals, and George Stephen and Duncan McIntyre, of Montreal, in Canada; John S. Kennedy, of New York, in the state of New York; Richard Bagus and John T. Hill, of St. Paul, in the State of Minnesota; and Cohen, Reinach & Co., of London, England, and Cohen, Reinach & Co., of Paris, France.

The parties hereto have contracted and agreed with each other that the portion of the railway called the Eastern Section shall comprise that part of the Canadian Pacific Railway to be constructed, extending from the western terminus of the Canada Central Railway at Calander Station, near the east end of Lake Nipissing, to a junction with the portion of the Canadian Pacific Railway now in course of construction, from Lake Superior to Selkirk, on the East side of the Red River, which is called the Lake Superior section. That the portion now partly in course of construction, extending from Kamloops, is called the central section, and the portion now in the course of construction, extending from Kamloops to Ft. Moody, is called the western section; and the Canadian Pacific Railway is intended to mean the entire railway as described in 37th Victoria, Chap. 14. The contractors, immediately after organization, are to deposit with the Government \$1,000,000 in cash or approved securities, as a security for the construction of the railway. The Government is to pay to the Company interest on the cash deposited at the rate of four per cent. per annum half yearly, and also the interest received for the securities deposited, and to return the deposit to the Company on the completion of the railway, according to the terms of the agreement, with any interest accrued thereon.

The agreement concludes, On witness whereof the parties hereto have executed these presents at the city of Ottawa, this 21st day of October, 1880, signed Charles Tupper, George Stephen, Duncan McIntyre, John S. Kennedy, R. B. Angus, Morton, Rose & Co., per T. Dupre Grenfell, Cohen, Reinach & Co., per T. Dupre Grenfell, James J. Hill, per his attorney, Geo. Stephen.

The eastern and central sections are to be constructed and equipped with a 4 feet 8 1/2 inch gauge, up to the standard of the United States. Any disputes to be referred to arbitration by one referee appointed by each party and a third selected by the two referees first chosen, their decision to be final. The construction of the eastern end of the central section to be taken up where the portions finished at present terminate not later than May next. The work to be vigorously pursued, and the Company agree to complete and equip by the 1st May, 1891, unless prevented by act of God, the Queen's enemies, or other uncontrollable means, the time to be extended proportionately to the space of such obstruction.

Clause five binds the company to pay the Government the cost of constructing the 100 miles of road from Winnipeg westward, at present in construction, and have the option of paying of the present contractor and assuming the work on the portion remaining unconstructed.

Clause six binds the Government to enforce the agreement for the completion of the Lake Superior Section, and the western section from Kamloops to Yale by the 30th June, 1885, and that portion of the last named section extending from Yale to Port Moody by the 1st May, 1891.

Clause seven provides that the Government shall transfer to the Company the portions constructed by the Government as they are completed, together with equipment and buildings, with power to run over and use them; and also enacts that upon completion of the remainder of the portion of railway to be constructed by the Government, that portion shall also be conveyed to the Company, and the Canada Pacific Railway shall become and be therefor the

ABSOLUTE PROPERTY of the Company, and the Company shall thereafter and forever efficiently maintain, work and run the Canada Pacific Railway.

Clause eight provides for the efficient equipment of the railway by the Company immediately upon receiving it from the Government.

Clause nine is the money clause. The Government agrees to give \$25,000,000 and 25,000,000 acres of land as a subsidy, for which the railway shall be completed, equipped, maintained and operated. These subsidies are to be paid and granted as the work proceeds. The subsidy is appropriated as follows:

Central Section, 1,350 miles. First 900 miles at \$10,000 per mile, \$9,000,000. Second, 450 miles at \$1,333 per mile, \$5,999,500. Total, \$15,000,000. Eastern Section, 650 miles, \$10,000,000, equal to \$15,384.61 per mile. Total subsidy, \$25,000,000. The land is divided as follows:—Central Section, 18,750,000; Eastern, 9,615,350. The Company of receiving in lieu of cash, terminable bonds of the Government, bearing such rate of interest, for such period, and nominal amount as may be arranged, and which may be equivalent, according to actual calculation to the corresponding cash payment, the Government allowing four per cent. interest on moneys deposited with them.

The Government, among other things, also agrees to advance three-fourths of the value of steel rails, and fastenings necessary which may be provided before absolutely required; not till January, 1882, the Company may, instead of issuing land grant bonds, substitute the payment by Government of interest on the mortgage bonds of the Company on the Railway and Land Grant; to grant

free sites for road-bed, station buildings, etc.; admission, free of duty, of all materials to be used in the construction of the road, and telegraph line and conveyances at cost price, with interest on all rails and materials bought since 1879; the land grant is in alternate sections, and stretches twenty-four miles back on either side of the railway, and only good land for settlement is accepted and the Government and estates to extinguish the Indian title to such lands. The railway, stock, equipment, and all works and appurtenances go together, with the capital stock of the Company is exempted from taxation, either municipal, Provincial or Dominion, forever; and the land grant is also exempted until sold, or for twenty-five years from the grant by the Crown. If the Company does not issue bonds, the Government retains every fifth section as security; the contract to be binding on the Company only in the event of an Act of Incorporation being granted in a schedule appended thereto.

Household Hints.

Between three and five in the afternoon is the most fashionable time for making calls. A lemon sliced with sugar, or honey and sherry, or a raw egg, are excellent remedies to clear the voice. When a widow marries again the wedding-ring of her first marriage remains, as a rule, on the finger, and the ring of the second marriage is worn above it. Scarlet Hollin shades trimmed across the ends with antique lace are very pretty and serviceable for a dining-room, giving a soft and warm light to the room. To impart a fine flavour to ordinary tea, place rose-leaves in the tea-canister, or add one drop of the ether of roses on a piece of soft paper to every pound of tea, and keep the canister closely covered.

Love is a very different from that species of irritation and excitement which often characterizes the joyous hours of youth. Genuine and heartfelt love is sober, serious and sedate. It is one of the most serious acts which can be connected with the life of either a man or woman. Stir linseed flour into boiling water, in sufficient quantity to form a poultice of proper consistency and before application smear the surface with a little olive or linseed oil. If irritation, with great pain and tension, or hardness, should prevail, it will be necessary to substitute a decoction of poppy heads for the common water.

SPONGE BISCUITS.—Beat the yolks of twelve eggs for half an hour, and put in one and a half pound of beaten sifted sugar, and whisk it till it raises in bubbles; beat the whites to a strong froth, and whisk them well with the sugar and yolks, work in fourteen ounces of flour, with the rinds of two lemons grated. Bake them in tin moulds buttered, in a quick oven, for an hour; before they are baked, sift a little white sugar over them.

POISON FOR RATS AND MICE.—Take five grains of phosphorus, and having added as much water as will cover it in a mortar, add an ounce of bread crumbs, and beat the whole into a paste, adding a drop of oil of rhodium; then make into small pills, the size of a radish-seed, and dribble a few into the holes. The animals having swallowed these, are attacked with intense thirst, and seek the main sewers, and there die.

Lace may be restored to its original whiteness by first ironing it slightly, then folding and sewing it in a clean linen bag, which is placed for 24 hours in pure olive oil. Afterwards the bag is to be boiled in a solution of soap and water for fifteen minutes, then well rinsed in lukewarm water, and finally dipped into water containing a slight proportion of starch. The lace is then to be taken from the bag and stretched upon pins to dry.

Metecological Report. State of the weather for the week ending December the 4th, 1880. Nov. 28th—Wind at 10 p.m. South, fresh breeze, cloudy. Number of miles the wind travelled in 24 hours 295 miles. Began to snow at 8 p.m., ceased at 9:30 p.m., 1/2 inch fell. Nov. 29th—Wind at 10 p.m. North-west, fresh breeze, cloudy. Number of miles the wind travelled during 24 hours 775 miles. Snow furries during the afternoon. Nov. 30th—Wind at 10 p.m. South-east, fresh breeze, cloudy. Number of miles the wind travelled in 24 hours 500 miles. Dec. 1st—Wind at 10 p.m. South-west, light breeze. Began to snow at 9:30 p.m., ceased through the night, 4 1/2 inches fell. Number of miles the wind travelled in 24 hours 376 miles. Dec. 2nd—Wind at 10 p.m. North-west, fresh breeze, cloudy. Number of miles the wind travelled during 24 hours 720 miles. 2 inches of snow fell during the day. Dec. 3rd—Wind at 10 p.m. South-east, fresh breeze, partly cloudy. Number of miles the wind travelled in 24 hours 354 miles. Dec. 4th—Wind at 10 p.m. South-east, fresh breeze, cloudy. Thawing, threatening rain, which fell through the night 2.5 cubic inches. Number of miles the wind travelled in 24 hours 646 miles.

G. N. MACDONALD, Goderich Lighthouse, Dec. 6th, 1880.

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