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An Act to make certain general provisions with regard to the services which the Government may require of Rail-road Companies whose Acts of incorporation make them subject to such general provisions.

WHEREAS in divers Acts authorizing the construction of Rail-roads in this Province, a provision has been inserted, that such Rail-roads should be subject to the provisions of any general Act relating to Rail-roads which might be passed by the Provincial Parliament; and it is expedient to make certain general provisions with regard to such Rail-roads: Be it therefore enacted, &c.

Preamble.

10 And it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That for and notwithstanding any thing in any Act authorizing the construction of any Rail-road or Railway in this Province, or in any Act amending any such
15 Act, each and every Company incorporated for the purpose of constructing any Rail-road or Railway, and in whose Act of incorporation, or in any Act amending the same, a provision to the effect of that mentioned in the
20 preamble to this Act is inserted, shall at all times when thereunto required by Her Majesty's Deputy Post-Master General, the Commander of the Forces, or any person having the command or superintendence of any Po-
25 lice Force, and with the whole resources of the Company if necessary, carry Her Majesty's Mail, Her Majesty's Naval or Military Forces or Militia, and all artillery, ammuni-

Railroad Companies shall be bound to carry Troops and Policemen and the Mails, with their whole resources, whenever thereunto required by the proper authorities.