

An Act to authorize the Cobourg and Peterborough Railway Company to construct a Tramway or Railway from the Marmora Iron Works to the River Trent, or to Rice Lake, and for other purposes.

WHEREAS the Cobourg and Peterborough Railway Company have petitioned for power to establish a line of water-communication between Harwood on Rice Lake, and some point on the River Trent, and to construct a tramway or railway from the River Trent to Marmora, so as to connect with the Marmora Iron Works; and whereas, it is advisable to grant the said powers as well as other powers incidental thereto, or connected with the same subject: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

- 10 **1.** The said Cobourg and Peterborough Railway Company, are authorized to build, purchase, possess and hold one or more vessels to be propelled by steam or other power, with all such necessary scows, boats and barges as may be required to be used and employed in the waters of Rice Lake and the River Trent, by the said company for the purposes, and in connection with the objects and undertakings referred to in this Act. C. and P. Railway Co. may build, &c., vessels.
- 20 **2.** The said Company are authorized to construct a tramway or railway, to run from any point in the River Trent to any other point or points in the Township of Marmora, and to purchase, acquire and hold all necessary locomotives, rolling stock, matters and things which may be required, and to use the same, in carrying iron and other ores, merchandize and materials to and from the said Township of Marmora. Company may construct tramway or railway from River Trent to Marmora.
- 25 **3.** The following clauses of "the Railway Act" are incorporated with this Act, that is to say, the first, second, third and fourth clauses thereof, and the clauses relating to "Powers, Plans and Surveys, Lands and their valuations," except in so far as they may be inconsistent with this Act. Certain clauses of Railway Act herewith incorporated.
- 30 **4.** The Cobourg and Peterborough Railway Company are authorized to unite with the Marmora Iron Company, with the consent of a two-third majority of the shareholders, and proprietors of each of the said Companies, for the purpose of mining for ores, minerals, marble and any other valuable substances, and of smelting any such ores and mineral substances, and of carrying and conveying the same to market by the said route, and generally for all the purposes of this Act, and any provisional or final agreement between the said companies with the consent of a majority of shareholders, shall be binding. C. & P. Railway Co. may unite with Marmora Iron Works Co. for certain purposes.

The said companies may for the more effectual carrying into effect of such union, consolidate their respective debts and unite their stocks,