

Power to acquire another railway.

8. The Company may, upon such terms and conditions as are agreed on with the purchasers of the line of railway heretofore owned by the Niagara, Hamilton and Pacific Railway Company, acquire such line of railway, and the rights, powers and franchises connected therewith, and may repair, reconstruct and operate the same; and may lay out, construct and operate an extension thereof, to a point on the Niagara River at or near Fort Erie, and an extension to a point in or near the city of Toronto by way of the city of Hamilton or thereabouts, and a branch line from a point on the main line in or near the city of St. Catharines to a point on Lake Ontario, in or near Port Dalhousie, in the county of Lincoln. 5 10

Extensions of railway.

Application of Railway Act.

2. All the provisions of *The Railway Act* shall apply to the Company and to the line so acquired from the said purchasers, and to the maintenance, repairs and operation thereof, as if the Company had been authorized to lay out, construct and operate the said line, and as if the same had been laid out and constructed by it, and the Company may, for the purpose of filling with embankment any trestle or bridge on the said line, acquire such additional width of lands as may be necessary for such purpose, and the provisions of *The Railway Act* respecting the acquisition of lands shall apply to such acquisition. 15 20

Bond issue limited.

9. The Company may issue bonds, debentures or other securities to the extent of twenty five thousand dollars per mile of its railway and branches; but such bonds, debentures and other securities may be issued only in proportion to the length of railway constructed or under contract to be constructed. 25

Powers of Company. Transportation.

10. The Company may, for the purpose of its business,—
(a.) construct, acquire and navigate vessels upon or across the Niagara River and Lake Ontario, and upon all waters connecting therewith, and may carry on generally the business of transportation in connection with its railway and vessels; 30

Wharfs, elevators, etc.

(b.) construct, acquire, lease and sell wharfs, docks, elevators, warehouses and other works in connection with freight and passenger business upon its railway and vessels; 35

Lands, electricity, etc.

(c.) acquire lands, and erect, use, make and manage works, machinery and plant for the generation, transmission and distribution of electric and other power and energy.

Water power.

11. The Company may acquire and utilize water power, and dispose of the surplus power either directly or by converting the same into electric and other power and energy. 40

Expropriation of lands.

12. If the Company, for the purposes of its undertaking, requires land for wharfs, docks and elevators, and cannot agree for the purchase thereof with the owner of such land, it may cause a map or plan and book of reference to be made of such land; and all the provisions of sections 107 to 111, both inclusive of *The Railway Act*, shall apply to the subject matter of this section and to the obtaining of such land and determining the compensation therefor. 45 50