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An Act to authorize the construction of a Railroad from Galt to Guelph.

WHEREAS it is highly desirable that a Railroad should be made from the Terminus of the Great Western Railroad Company, at the Town of Galt, to the Town of Guelph; and the persons hereinafter mentioned have petitioned to be incorporated for that purpose; Be it therefore enacted, &c.,

Preamble.

That Isaac Buchanan, W. R. McLowen, Sir Allan MacNab, Richard Jason, William Dickson, John Fisher, H. M. Tousty, and Walter H. Willson, together with such other persons as shall under the provisions of this Act become subscribers to or proprietors of any share or shares in the Railway hereby authorized to be made, and their several and respective heirs, executors, administrators, curators, or assignes, being proprietors of any share or shares in the said Railway, shall be, and are hereby united into a Company for constructing, maintaining and working the said Railway, according to the Rules, Orders, and Directions of this Act, and shall for that purpose be one body corporate and politic by the name and style of *The Hamilton and Toronto Railway Company*; and the said Company shall be, and are hereby authorized and empowered from and after the passing of this Act, by themselves, their deputies, agents, officers, workmen and servants, to make and complete a Railway to be called *The Hamilton and Toronto Railway*, from the Terminus of the Great Western Railway Company at the City of Hamilton, to the City of Toronto, upon such line as may be found most advantageous for the purpose, the said line being first approved by the Governor in Council.

Certain persons incorporated.

Corporate name and powers.

II. And be it enacted, That the Guage of the said Railway shall be five feet six inches.

Guage.

III. And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the said Company to raise and contribute among themselves, in such proportions as to them shall seem meet and convenient, a competent sum of money for making and completing the said Railway, and all such other works, matters and conveniences as may be found necessary for making, effecting, preserving, improving, complet-

Stock to be raised.