

half hereinbefore mentioned, shall not, except in so far as
 is provided by the seventeenth section of the said reci-
 ted Act, as hereby amended, exceed in the whole the
 sum of *six hundred thousand pounds* of the currency of this
 5 Province; and provided also, that it shall and may be
 lawful for every person who has already under the provi-
 sions of the said recited Act become a subscriber to, or
 has agreed to become a proprietor of any share in the
 said Toronto and Goderich Railway Company, to transfer
 10 the whole or any part of the amount so agreed to be sub-
 scribed by him for the construction of the said through
 line of the said Toronto and Goderich Railway Com-
 pany, towards the construction of that part of the said line
 extending from the town of Guelph to the Port of Gode-
 15 rich; and that when and so soon as such persons, together
 with any other persons or corporations, and when and so
 soon as any persons and corporations, or corporation shall
 agree among themselves to raise and contribute towards
 the construction of the said Branch Railway, the sum of
 20 *one hundred thousand pounds* of like currency of Can-
 ada, and shall have paid thereon the sum of *ten pounds* Joint Capital
 per centum, into some or one of the banking insti- £600,000.
 tutions of this Province to the credit of some per-
 son to be by such subscribers appointed their Trea-
 25 surer for that purpose, unless the Directors for the
 time being of the said Toronto and Guelph Western Ex-
 tension Railway Company, upon the request in writing of
 any of the said subscribers to the construction of such
 Branch Railway, having agreed to subscribe therefor,
 30 shares to the amount of *ten thousand pounds*; and
 upon the production of a certificate from such Trea-
 surer as aforesaid, of the said sum of *ten pounds*
 per centum being so paid as aforesaid, shall with-
 in the period of thirty days from the delivery of
 35 such request in writing, and the production of such
 certificate, resolve to construct, and do take efficient
 measures to procure the construction of the said Branch
 Railway themselves, it shall be the duty of such Direct-
 ors, and they are hereby required to publish a notice in
 40 such papers as the said subscribers for shares to the said
 amount of *ten thousand pounds* shall direct, and at the ex-
 pense of such subscribers, signifying the dissent of the said
 Toronto and Guelph Western Extension Railway Company
 to construct such Branch Railway, and thereupon it shall
 45 be lawful for the said subscribers of shares to the amount
 of *one hundred thousand pounds* towards the construction
 of the said Branch Railway, to meet together at such
 time and place as shall be indicated, by a notice to
 that effect to be published by any of the said subscri-
 50 bers having agreed among themselves to take shares
 toward the construction of the said Branch Railway to
 the said amount of *ten thousand pounds*, so as, how-
 ever, the period of thirty days shall elapse between
 the day of the first publication of such notice, and the