

BILL.

An Act to incorporate a Company for making a Railroad from the Village of Industry to the Township of Rawdon in Lower Canada.

WHEREAS the construction of a Railroad from Industry Village to the Village or Township of Rawdon would greatly contribute to promote the trade and facilitate the communication between the County of Leinster and the adjacent Counties, and the Cities of Montreal and Quebec, and would tend much to advance the prosperity of all those portions of this Province; and whereas the several persons hereinafter named are desirous to make and maintain the said Railroad: Be it therefore enacted &c.

That Jedediah H Dorwin, John Jeffries, Philemon Dugar, Alexander Daly, and Samuel Anderson, together with such person or persons as shall, under the provisions of this Act, become subscribers to and proprietors of any share or shares in the Railroad hereby authorized to be made and other works and property hereinafter mentioned, and their several and respective heirs, executors, administrators, curators and assigns, being proprietors of any such share or shares, are and shall be, and be united into a Company for carrying on, making, completing and maintaining the said intended Railroad and other works, according to the rules, orders and directions hereinafter expressed, and shall for that purpose be one body politic and corporate by the name of "*The Industry Village and Rawdon Railroad Company*" and by that name shall have perpetual succession and shall have a common seal, and other the usual powers and rights of bodies corporate not inconsistent with this Act, and by that name shall and may sue and be sued, and also shall and may have power and authority to purchase and hold lands (which word shall throughout this Act be understood to include the land and all that is upon or below the surface thereof, and all the real rights and appurtenances thereunto belonging,) for them and their successors and assigns, for the use of the said Railroad and works, without Her Majesty's *Lettres d' Amortissement*, (saving nevertheless to the Seigneur or Seigniors within whose *censive* the lands, tenements and hereditaments so purchased may be situate, his and their several and respective *droits d' indemnité*, and all other Seigniorial rights whatever,) and also to alienate and convey any of the said lands, purchased for the purposes aforesaid; and any person or persons,

Preamble.

Certain persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Word 'Lands' how understood in this Act.

Mortmain Laws not to apply. Rights of Seigniors saved.