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An Act respecting the Oshawa Railway  
Company.

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(PRIVATE BILL.)

MR. BURNETT.

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## An Act respecting the Oshawa Railway Company

**W**HEREAS the Oshawa Railway Company has, by its Preamble.  
 petition, prayed that it be enacted as hereinafter set  
 forth, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said  
 petition: Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and  
 5 consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada,  
 enacts as follows;—

- 1.** The Oshawa Railway Company, hereinafter called “the Powers.  
 Company,” may, in connection with its railway and for the  
 purposes of its business,—
- 10 (a) acquire lands and erect, use and manage works, manu- Electric and  
 other motive  
 power.  
 factory machinery and plant for the generation, transmission  
 and distribution of electric power and energy and other motive  
 power;
- (b) build and maintain power houses and stations for the Power houses.  
 15 development of electrical force and energy and other motive  
 power;
- (c) locate, acquire, work and dispose of mines, mineral lands, Mining.  
 minerals, mining rights, timber and timber lands and the pro-  
 ducts thereof, and develop such mines, and crush, smelt, re-  
 20 duce, amalgamate and dispose of the ores and products of  
 any mine;
- (d) acquire exclusive rights in letters patent, franchises or Patent rights.  
 patent rights for the purpose of the works and undertakings  
 hereby authorized, and again dispose of such rights;
- 25 (e) sell or lease any surplus power which the Company may Surplus  
 power.  
 develop or acquire either as water power or other motive  
 power or by converting the same into electricity or other force  
 for the distribution of light, heat or power, or for all purposes  
 for which electricity or other motive power can be used with  
 30 power to transmit the same.
- 2.** Notwithstanding anything contained in the Acts relating Annual  
 meeting.  
 to the Company, or in any other Act, the annual meeting  
 shall be held in Deseronto, or such other place in Canada as  
 may, from time to time, be appointed by by-law, on the first  
 35 Monday in March in each year, and notice thereof shall be  
 given for four weeks previous thereto by publication in *The  
 Canada Gazette.*
- 3.** Special general meetings of the shareholders of the Com- Special  
 general  
 meetings.  
 pany may be held at such places in Canada, and at such times,  
 40 in such manner and for such purposes as may be provided by  
 by-law, and notice of such meetings shall be given in the  
 manner prescribed by the next preceding section.

Time for  
construction  
of railway  
extended.

4. The time limited for the completion of the railway, branches and extensions is hereby extended for five years from the passing of this Act, and if the said railway, branches and extensions are not then completed the powers granted by Parliament for such construction shall cease and be null and void as respects so much of the undertaking as then remains 5  
uncompleted.