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Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1848. Fredericton, NB: John Simpson, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1848.

11 Victoria – Chapter 60

An Act to incorporate the Woodstock Mechanics' Institute. Passed 30th March 1848.

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That the Woodstock Mechanics' Institute now established in the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, for the purpose of instructing Mechanics and others, in Physics, Literature, and the different Branches of Science, be incorporated, and that John Bedell, Richard English, William T. Baird, Charles H. Connell, James Robertson, J. N. Baker, William Lindsay, George W. Cleary, Edwin R. Parsons, Robert A. Hay, and such other persons as are or may become members of the said Institute, shall be and they are hereby constituted a Body Corporate for that and no other purpose, by the name aforesaid, with all the general powers and privileges incident to Corporations by Act of Assembly of this Province; provided always, that the real estate which the said Corporation may at any time hold, shall not exceed eight hundred pounds.