

Laws of His Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1857. Toronto: Stewart Derbishire & George Desbarats, 1857.

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An Act to extend the powers of the St. Clair and Rond Eau Plank Road Company. Assented to 10th June, 1857.

Whereas the St. Clair and Rond Eau Plank Road Company have at great cost and outlay constructed a gravel and Plank Road which has opened up for the purposes of settlement a large tract of fertile country, thereby assisting in its development; And whereas the said Company have by their petition represented, that without an extension of their powers it will be impossible for them to complete the said road according to their original design, namely — the construction of a road extending across the peninsula between the waters of the Rond Eau on Lake Erie, and those of the River St. Clair; and have prayed for an extension of their privileges: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

- I. The said St. Clair and Rond Eau Plank Road Company, in addition to the privileges conferred upon them by the Act under which they are incorporated, shall have power to purchase from the Government of this Province, at such prices as may be agreed upon between the Government and the said Company, (and which prices the Governor in Council is hereby authorized to fix,) and from any person or persons, bodies corporate or politic, upon such terms as may be mutually agreed upon between the said Company and the said., parties, all such lands, property and estate as are and may be required for the necessary uses of the road, its termini at either end, for the construction or purchase of Bridges over any of the navigable streams over which the road passes, or the establishment and management of ferries over the same.
- II. This Act shall be deemed a Public Act.