Cap. 35, 36. Mun. Council, Stamford, to extend powers. 16 VICT.

Granting licenses.

Proviso.

5. To grant all such licenses and to make all such by-laws and regulations as may be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the powers herein vested or hereafter to be vested in the Corporation of the said Township: Provided always, that no person shall be subject to be fined more than Five Pounds, exclusive of costs, or to be imprisoned more than twenty days, for the breach of any By-law or regulation of the said Corporation made in pursuance of this Act.

How license moneys to be expended.

II. And be it enacted, That the moneys to be raised from the granting of the said licenses shall be expended under the direction of the said Municipal Corporation within the limits so to be prescribed as aforesaid, in repairing the roads and making such other improvements as the said Municipal Council may consider advisable.

CAP. XXXVI.

An Act to legalize and continue The Municipal Corporation of the Township of Torbolton.

[10th November, 1852.]

Preamble.

Township of

WHEREAS there are within the County of Carleton conflicting opinions as to whether the Township of Torbolton, in the said County, is or is not under the provisions of the Upper Canada Municipal Corporations Act of one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, the Upper Canada Municipal Corporations Law Amendment Act of one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and the Upper Canada Municipal Corporations Law Amendment Act of one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one, a lawfully constituted Municipal Corporation by itself; And whereas for divers reasons it is the unanimous wish of the Council of the said County, as set forth in the Petition from said Council to the Provincial Parliament in its present Session, that the said Township of Torbolton should be legalized and continued and constituted beyond all doubt a Municipal Corporation by itself, enjoying the same rights and performing the same functions as the several other Municipal Corporations of Townships within the said County; And whereas it is expedient and necessary for the safe government of the said County and of the said Township that all doubts on the above subject should be removed: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the said Township of Torbolton is and shall be and Torbolton de- shall have been a Municipal Corporation by itself; and all Acts

Acts and Deeds hitherto done by the Municipality of the said clared to be Township in their character as such, as also all Acts and Deeds and to have hitherto done whether by the Municipality of the adjoining cipal Corpora-Township of March as a Municipality, or by the County Council tion. of the County of Carleton arising from the assumption of Torbolton to Municipal Jurisdiction, shall be held to be as valid and effectual as the Acts and Deeds done by any other Municipality within the same County, not otherwise unlawful; Provided always that this Act shall not be pleaded in any suit Proviso. at Law or in Equity begun or pending before the passing of this Act.

CAP. XXXVII.

An Act to incorporate the Grand Trunk Rail-way of Canada.

[10th November, 1852.]

WHEREAS the construction of a Rail-way from the City Preamble. of Toronto to the City of Kingston, and thence to the City of Montreal, would greatly tend to promote the welfare of this Province; And whereas the persons hereinafter mentioned are desirous of associating themselves together as a Company for the purpose of constructing such Rail-way, and that they and their successors and assigns, shareholders in such Railway, may be incorporated and invested with such powers as may enable them effectually to carry out their undertaking, and it is expedient to accede to their request : Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the Honorable Peter McGill, of the City of Montreal, the Honor- Certain perable George Pemberton, of the City of Quebec, Thomas G. sons incorpor-ated. Ridout and John George Bowes, of the City of Toronto, Esquires, William Price, of the City of Quebec, Esquire, John Shuter Smith, of the Town of Port Hope, Esquire, Henry LeMesurier, of the City of Quebec, Esquire, Andrew Jeffrey, of the Town of Cobourg, Esquire, James Bell Forsyth, of the City of Quebec, Esquire, William Hamilton Ponton, of the Town of Belleville, Esquire, William Rhodes, of the City of Quebec, Esquire, David Roblin, of the City of Kingston, Esquire, William Matthie, of the Town of Brockville, Esquire, George Beswick, of the City of Quebec, Esquire, Chauncey H. Peck, of the Town of Prescott, Esquire, Thomas Ryan, of the City of Montreal, Esquire, John Counter, of the City of Kingston, Esquire, Roderick McDonald, of the Town of Cornwall, Esquire, George Etienne Cartier, of the City of Montreal, Esquire,