

Laws of Her Majesty's Province of United Canada, passed in the year 1851. York: Stewart Derbyshire and George Desbarts, 1851.

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An Act to extend the provisions of an Act passed in the present Session, intituled, *An Act to make provision for the construction of a Main Trunk Line of Rail-way throughout the length of this Province*. 30th August, 1851.

Whereas the Great Western Rail-road Company are authorized by their Acts of Incorporation to make a Main Line of Rail-way throughout the whole distance between the Niagara River and the Detroit River, by the way of Burlington Bay; And whereas it is desirable that the provisions of the Act hereinafter mentioned should extend to the whole of the said Main Line of Rail-way, although not to any of its Branches, and that no doubt should exist as to the intention of the Legislature to that effect: Be it therefore declared and 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 expression, "The Great Western Rail-road," in the Act of the present Session, intituled, *An Act to make provision for the construction of a Main Trunk Line of Rail-way throughout the length of the Province*, shall mean and include the whole of the said Main Line of Rail-way which the said Great Western Rail-road Company are authorized to make from the Niagara River, by the way of Burlington Bay, to the Detroit River, any thing contained in the proviso to the sixteenth section of the said Act, or in any other part thereof, to the contrary notwithstanding, but shall not include any Branches which the said Company are or may be authorized to make, nor shall the guarantee in the said Act mentioned be extended to any such Branch.