PETITION.

To the Honourable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, in Parliament assembled :

The petition of the undersigned humbly sheweth :---

1. That an educational institution has been established and is now in operation in this Province in connection with and under the authority of the British Columbia Conference of the Methodist Church.

2. That your petitioners are trustees appointed by the said British Columbia Conference for the purpose of organizing and developing the said educational institution, and the same has at present a staff of five competent instructors, with a regular attendance of upwards of fifty pupils.

3. The said institution has heretofore been known by the name of "British Columbia College."

4. That it would tend to advance and extend the usefulness of the said institution and promote the purposes for which it has been established that it should be incorporated.

Your petitioners therefore pray that corporate powers may be given to the said institution

And your petitioners will ever pray.

Dated this 1st day of February, 1893.

J. H. WHITE, President, B. C. Conference. J. F. BETTS, Financial Agent of College. JOSEPH HALL, Chairman of Board of Trustees. ROBERT R. MAITLAND, E. ROBSON, JAMES CUNNINGHAM, D. H. WILSON, E. ODLUM, Secretary, Board of Trustees.

Members of Incorporation Committee.

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