
PETITION.

The petition of the British Columbia Southern Railway Company humbly sheweth, as follows :—

Your petitioners were duly incorporated in the year 1888, by an Act of the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, as a Railway Company, with power to construct Railways, as in the said Act of Incorporation is set forth :

The said Act of 1888 was amended by an Act of the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, passed in the year 1890 :

The said Act of Incorporation was further amended by an Act of the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, passed in the year 1891 :

The said Act of Incorporation was again amended by an Act of the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, passed in the year 1893 :

That it is in the interest of the public that a line of railway should be constructed from some point on the main line of the British Columbia Southern Railway Company, at or near the forks of Michel Creek, thence by way of Michel Creek to Martin Creek, in the District of Kootenay, British Columbia :

Your petitioners are desirous of having the several Acts relating to the Company consolidated and amended, and also of being authorized to construct a branch line, commencing at a point on the main line, at or near the forks of Michel Creek, thence by way of Michel Creek to Martin Creek aforesaid :

Your petitioners, therefore, pray that your Honourable Body will be pleased to pass an Act amending and consolidating the several Acts relating to the petitioners, and conferring upon the petitioners power to construct a branch line, as is hereinbefore mentioned :

And your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

Witness the Seal of the said Company, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1894.

[L.S.]

A. W. VOWELL,
EDWARD GAWLOR PRIOR,

Directors.