## No. 56.

## PETITION.

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

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The humble petition of the undersigned, showeth:-

That your petitioners are desirous of incorporating a company with power to construct and operate a line of railway from a point on Reynolds Sound, Graham Island; thence by a practicable route to a point at or near Skidegate Harbour, on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Islands group; with power to construct branch lines to any points in Queen Charlotte Islands; and telephone and telegraph lines, warehouses, stores, steamers, wharves, and with necessary powers of expropriation of lands in that behalf, together with all other powers necessary, incidental or conducive to the attainment of the foregoing objects.

Your petitioners, therefore, pray that your Honourable Body may be pleased to pass an Act granting to your petitioners the above powers.

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

Dated this 11th day of February, 1901.

M. King, Jno. Irving.