No. 28.

PETITION.

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

The humble petition of the undersigned showeth:-

That your petitioners are desirous of incorporating a company with power to build, construct, maintain, and operate a railway of standard or narrow gauge, to be operated by steam, electricity, or other motive power, for the purpose of carrying passengers, logs, and merchandise, or either, from Hardy Bay or Port McNeill, or some point between them, or some other convenient point near thereto on the east coast of Vancouver Island to Coal Harbour, on the West Arm of Quatsino Sound, or to some point on Rupert Arm, Quatsino Sound, or to a convenient point on Quatsino Sound in Rupert District, Vancouver Island, Province of British Columbia; with power to construct, acquire, own, and maintain wharves and docks in connection therewith; and to construct, acquire, own, charter, equip, and maintain steam and other vessels and boats and to operate the same on any navigable waters; and with all powers given by the "Model Railway Bill"; and with such other powers and privileges usual or incidental to all or any of the aforesaid purposes.

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 22nd day of January, 1910.

WILLIAM B. GARRARD, HAROLD B. ROBERTSON, J. N. BRITTEN, SAML. A. SIZER, HERBERT W. R. MOORE, J. Herrick McGregor.