
PETITION.

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

The humble petition of Henry Valentine Edmonds, William H. Ladner and George F. Chipman, Albert J. Hill, Archibald M. Robertson, Alfred St. George Hamersley, of the City of Vancouver, sheweth :—

That your petitioners are desirous of incorporating a Company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, maintaining, and operating a line of Railway from a point on the Fraser River, at or near the town of Liverpool; thence to run in a westerly direction, through the delta of the Fraser, to a point on or near the Fraser River near Canoe Pass; and to construct, equip, maintain and operate branches therefrom to a point near Ladner's Landing on the Fraser River; together with the usual powers to build the said Railway and own, use and operate the same for the purposes of carrying passengers goods and merchandise; and to fix and levy tolls and rates for carrying the same; and to make by-laws and regulations of such tolls and traffic and working the said Railway; and to obtain grants of land in aid thereof; and to acquire land and other bonuses or aids from the Dominion Government and the Government of British Columbia; and to acquire and own lands for the construction of the said Railway and use of the same, by compulsory purchase or otherwise; with power to raise money for the above purposes by the issue of shares, mortgage, debenture and preference shares; with full power to construct, maintain, equip and operate the said Railway; with power to make traffic and other arrangements with railway and other Companies:

And for all other usual and necessary powers, rights and privileges.

Your petitioners therefore humbly pray that your Honourable House will be pleased to pass an Act incorporating the "Liverpool and Canoe Pass Railway Company," and conferring upon the said Company the powers above set forth or referred to.

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

Witness to signatures :

T. B. SHOEBOTTOM.

HENRY V. EDMONDS.

WM. H. LADNER.

GEO. F. CHIPMAN.

ALBERT J. HILL.

A. M. ROBERTSON.

A. ST. GEO. HAMERSLEY.

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To the Honourable the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, in Parliament assembled.

The humble petition of the undersigned, residents of the Kootenay Lake country, sheweth:—

1. That it is in the interest of the public that Telephone lines within the townsites of Nelson, Ainsworth and Balfour, and the district between the said townsites, should be constructed and operated.

2. That your petitioners are desirous of being incorporated as a Joint Stock Company, under the name of "Kootenay Lake Telephone Company, Limited," having for its object the construction, equipment, maintenance and operation of Telephone lines in and throughout the aforesaid townsites and district, with all necessary rights and powers in that behalf.

Your petitioners therefore most humbly pray that leave will be given to bring into your Honourable Assembly a Bill for their incorporation as aforesaid, and for the granting to them the rights, powers and privileges hereinbefore mentioned.

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

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 31st day of January, A.D. 1891.

J. E. WALSH, Miner and Contractor, Nelson, B. C.

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WILLIAM HUNTER, Miner, Nelson.

W. GESNER ALLAN, Printer, Nelson, B. C.

C. S. F. HAMBER, Broker, Nelson, B. C. (p.p. W. G. A.)

Made, signed and acknowledged in
presence of me.

W. GESNER ALLAN,
Notary Public.
At Nelson, B. C.

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VICTORIA, B. C.:

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