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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

Cap. xciii.

An Act to enable the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company to construct an additional or enlarged Station at Sheffield, and to make a Branch Railway to the Sheffield Canal. [22d July 1848.]

HEREAS an Act was passed in the Session of Parliament held in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled An Act for making a 7 W.4. & Railway from Sheffield in the West Riding of the County of York to 1 Vict. c. 21. Manchester in the County of Lancaster, whereby a Company was 'incorporated, called "The Sheffield, Ashton-under-Lyne, and Manchester Railway Company:" And whereas the Provisions of the said Act have been amended and enlarged by several subsequent Acts of Parliament relating to the said Company, passed respectively in the Sessions of Parliament held in the Fifth and Sixth, the Sixth and Seventh, the Seventh and Eighth, and the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty: And whereas an Act was passed in the Session of Parliament held in the Eighth and Ninth Years of the Reign of Her said present Majesty, intituled An Act 8 & 9 Vict. for making a Railway from a Place in the Parish of Bole in the c.50. County of Nottingham, near to the Town and Port of Gainsborough, [Local.] 12 G

to the Town and Port of Great Grimsby in the Parts of Lindsey in the County of Lincoln, with Branches to the District or Place called New Holland, and the Town of Market Rasen, to be called "The Great Grimsby and Sheffield Junction Railway," whereby a Company was incorporated, called "The Great Grimsby and Sheffield Junction Railway Company:" And whereas the Provisions of the said last-recited Act have been amended and enlarged by several subsequent Acts of Parliament relating to the said Company, passed in the said Session of Parliament held in the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reign of Her said present Majesty: And whereas another Act was passed in the said Session of Parliament held in the said Eighth and Ninth 8 & 9 Vict. Years of the Reign of Her said present Majesty, intituled An Act for making additional Docks and other Works at the Haven of the Town and Port of Great Grimsby, and for amending the Acts relating to the said Haven, whereby a Company was incorporated, called "The Grimsby Dock Company:" And whereas another Act was passed in the said Session of Parliament held in the Ninth and Tenth Years of 9 & 10 Vict. the Reign of Her said present Majesty, intituled An Act for making a Railway from Sheffield to Gainsborough, with Branches, whereby a Company was incorporated, called "The Sheffield and Lincolnshire Junction Railway Company:" And whereas another Act was passed in the said Session of Parliament held in the Ninth and Tenth Years 9 & 10 Vict. of the Reign of Her said present Majesty, intituled An Act for making a Railway from the proposed Sheffield and Lincolnshire Junction Railway to Lincoln, whereby a Company was incorporated, called "The Sheffield and Lincolnshire Extension Railway Company," by virtue of which last-mentioned Act the said lastnamed Company has become merged in and incorporated with the said Sheffield and Lincolnshire Junction Railway Company: And whereas another Act was passed in the said Session of Parliament held in the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reign of Her said present 9 & 10 Vict. Majesty, intituled An Act to amalgamate the Sheffield, Ashton-under-Lyne, and Manchester Railway Company, the Sheffield and Lincolnshire Junction, the Sheffield and Lincolnshire Extension, and the Great Grimsby and Sheffield Railway Companies, and the Grimsby Dock Company, under the Provisions whereof the said Sheffield, Ashton-under-Lyne, and Manchester, Sheffield and Lincolnshire Junction, Sheffield and Lincolnshire Extension, and Great Grimsby and Sheffield Junction Railway Companies, and Grimsby Dock Company, have been dissolved, and the Proprietors of Shares therein respectively have become united into a new Company under the Name of "The Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company:" And whereas an Act was passed in the last Session of Parliament, 10 & 11 Vict. intituled An Act to incorporate the Manchester and Lincoln Union Railway and Chesterfield and Gainsborough Canal Company with the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company, under the Provisions whereof the Undertaking of the said Manchester and Lincoln Union Railway and Chesterfield and Gainsborough Canal Company has been incorporated with and now forms Part of the Undertaking of the said Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company: And whereas several other Acts were passed in the last Session of Parliament relating to the said Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company: And whereas it would be

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attended with public and local Advantage if the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company were authorized to construct an additional or enlarged Station adjoining or near to the Main Line of that Part of their Railway heretofore called the Sheffield and Lincolnshire Junction Railway, within the Townships of Brightside Bierlow and Sheffield, and also to make a Branch Railway from the Line of the said Sheffield and Lincolnshire Junction Railway in the Township of Attercliffe-cum-Darnall to or near to the Canal Warehouse in the Township of Sheffield, together with an additional Station adjoining or near to the said intended Branch Railway, all in the Parish of Sheffield in the West Riding of the County of York: And whereas it is also expedient that some of the Powers and Provisions of the said recited Acts should be amended and enlarged; but the Purposes aforesaid cannot be effected without the Authority of Parliament: May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That the Railway Clauses Con-Certain solidation Act, 1845, and the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, Provisions of 8 & 9 Vict. 1845, shall, so far as the same are applicable, and are not modified cc. 18. & 20. by this Act or inconsistent with the Provisions thereof, be held to extended to apply to the Railway and Works by this Act authorized to be made, this Act. and shall be read and construed as forming Part of this Act.

II. And be it enacted, That all the Provisions contained in the Provisions of said recited Acts, so far as the same are or may be applicable and recited Acts now in force, and except such of them as are by this Act repealed, this Act. altered, or otherwise provided for, or are inconsistent with the said Railway Clauses Consolidation Act, or the said Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, shall extend to this Act, and to the several Purposes thereof, and to the several Matters and Things hereby authorized to be done, as fully and effectually as if the said Provisions were re-enacted in this Act in reference to such Purposes, Matters, and Things; and the said recited Acts and this Act shall be construed and read together as forming One Act.

III. And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the said Man- Power to chester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company to raise the Sum raise Money of One hundred and eighty thousand Pounds by the Creation of new of new Shares or Stock, in addition to the Sums of Money authorized to Shares. be raised by the said recited Acts, or which the said Company may be authorized to raise by any Act to be passed during the present Session of Parliament; and the new Shares or Stock to be created by New Shares virtue of this Act shall be considered Part of the general Capital of to form Part the Company: Provided always, that all and every Part of such of general Sum of Money so to be raised shall be applicable only to the Objects and Purposes by this Act authorized.

IV. And be it enacted, That after Shares for the whole of the Power to Capital in Shares by this and the said recited Acts limited or autho-borrow on rized to be raised shall have been taken, and One Half of such Capital Mortgage. shall have been paid up, it shall be lawful for the Company to borrow

on Mortgage such Sums of Money as shall from Time to Time beauthorized to be borrowed by Order of a General Meeting of the Company, not exceeding in the whole, in addition to the Sum authorized to be borrowed by the said recited Acts, and in addition to any further Sum which they may be authorized to borrow by any Act to be passed during the present Session of Parliament, the Sum of Sixty thousand Pounds, and to secure the Repayment of the Sum so to be borrowed, with Interest, by Mortgage of the Undertaking, as by the Companies Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, provided, and subject to the several Provisions therein contained with respect to the borrowing of Money on Mortgage: Provided always, that all and every Part of such Sum of Money so to be borrowed shall be applicable only to the Objects and Purposes by this Act authorized.

Former Mortgages to have Priority.

V. Provided always, and be it enacted, That all Mortgages or Bonds granted under the Authority of the said recited Acts, and which shall be in force at the Time of the passing of this Act, shall, during the Continuance thereof, have Priority over any Mortgages or Bonds to be created by virtue of this Act.

Mortgages and Transfers, &c. to be stamped.

VI. And be it enacted, That every Mortgage, Bond, or other Security for Money, and every Transfer of any Share, Stock, Mortgage, Bond, or other Security for Money, to be granted or made by virtue of the said recited Acts or this Act, shall be by Deed duly stamped, wherein the Consideration for the same shall be truly stated, any thing herein or in the said recited Acts contained to the contrary not with standing.

Interest not

VII. And be it enacted, That it shall not be lawful for the said to be paid on Company, out of any Money by this Act or any other Act relating to Calls paid up. the said Company authorized to be raised by Calls in respect of Shares, or by the Exercise of any Power of borrowing, to pay Interest to any Shareholder on the Amount of the Calls made in respect of the Shares held by him in the Capital by this Act authorized to be raised: Provided always, that nothing herein-before contained shall be deemed to prevent the said Company from paying to any Shareholder such Interest on Money advanced by him beyond the Amount of the Calls actually made as shall be in conformity with the Provisions in the Companies Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, in that Behalf contained.

Deposits for future Bills not to be paid out of the Company's Capital,

VIII. And be it enacted, That it shall not be lawful for the said Company, out of any Money by this Act or any other Act relating to the said Company authorized to be raised for the Purposes of such Act or Acts, to pay or deposit any Sum of Money which by any Standing Order of either House of Parliament, now in force or hereafter to be in force, may be required to be deposited in respect of any Application to Parliament for the Purpose of obtaining an Act authorizing the said Company to construct any other Railway, or execute any other Work or Undertaking.

Power to makeStation, way, &c.

IX. And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the Company to Branch Rail- construct an additional or enlarged Station, with all necessary Roads and

and Approaches thereto, and other Works connected therewith, adjoining or near to the Main Line of that Part of their Railway heretofore called the Sheffield and Lincolnshire Junction Railway, within the Townships of Brightside Bierlow and Sheffield, in the Parish of Sheffield in the West Riding of the County of York, and also to make and maintain the Branch Railway herein-after mentioned, with all proper Works and Conveniences connected therewith, and to construct an additional Station, with all necessary Roads, Approaches, and other Works connected therewith, adjoining or near to the said intended Branch Railway in the Township and Parish of Sheffield, the said before-mentioned Works respectively to be made in the Line and respective Situations delineated on the Plans thereof deposited with the Clerk of the Peace for the West Riding of the County of York, and upon the Lands delineated on the said Plans and described in the Books of Reference therewith deposited, and the said Branch Railway to be made according to the Sections thereof deposited with the said Plans; and it shall be lawful for the Company to take and use such of the said Lands as shall be necessary for such Purposes.

X. Provided always, and be it enacted, That if the Company Company which for the Time being may be in possession as Owner or Lessee may be of so much of the Line of the Sheffield, Rotherham, Barnsley, Wake- required in field. Huddersfield and Goole Bailway of line to the State of the St field, Huddersfield, and Goole Railway as lies to the South of the Event to Town of Barnsley, shall, within One Calendar Month after the continue passing of this Act, give Notice to the Manchester, Sheffield, and Two of the Lincolnshire Railway Company that they have selected any Two of the Blonk the Arches of the said last-mentioned Company over the Blonk Dam Dam for the (which Arches are to be of not less than Thirty Feet clear Span), whole Width and require the same to be continued for the whole Width of the of the Station. Station hereby authorized, the said Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Company shall and they are hereby required to continue such Arches at such Height as shall be agreed upon between the Engineers of the said Two Companies within One Month after the passing of this Act, or failing their Agreement, then within the same Period, by an Umpire to be appointed between them, through the whole Width of the said Station; and that all additional Expense caused by such Arches shall be paid by the Company requiring the same; and provided that such Two Arches shall not prevent the making of an Approach from the Arches to the said Station: Provided always, that nothing in this Act contained shall be interpreted as any Expression of the Opinion of Parliament as to the Expediency of any Line or Lines of Railway through or under such Arches as aforesaid.

XI. Provided always, and be it enacted, That it shall not be lawful Not to take for the Company to take or use any other Part of the Lands and certain Lands Premises delineated on the said Plans, and described in the said Without Consent. Books of Reference by the Numbers 114 and 149 in the Township of Sheffield in the Parish of Sheffield, than would be situate on the East Side of a straight Line drawn from the North Side of Blonk Street, at the Point crossed by the dotted Line showing the Limits of Deviation on the said Plans, and passing in a North-easterly Direction at a Distance not less in any Place than One hundred and Forty [Local.]12~H**Feet**

Feet from the East Side of the River Dun, without the Consent in Writing of the Party or Parties who would, under and by virtue of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, and of this Act, or otherwise, be authorized to sell and convey the same Lands and Premises.

Not to take Property of E. Smith without Consent.

XII. Provided always, and be it enacted, That it shall not be lawful for the Company to take any of the Land or Property of Edward Smith, numbered respectively 2 and 4 on the said Plans, in the Township of Brightside Bierlow in the Parish of Sheffield, without the Consent of the said Edward Smith, his Heirs, Executors, Administrators, and Assignee, first obtained.

Line of Branch Railway.

XIII. And be it enacted, That the said Branch Railway shall commence by a Junction with the Line of the Sheffield and Lincolnshire Junction Railway as authorized to be made by the said first-recited Act, at or near a certain Field in the Township of Attercliffecum-Darnall in the Parish of Sheffield in the West Riding of the County of York, and numbered 2 on the Plans of the said Railway referred to in the said Act; thence shall pass from, in, through, or into the several Parishes, Townships, and extra-parochial Places of Attercliffe-cum-Darnall and Sheffield in the said West Riding of the County of York, and shall terminate at or near the Canal Warehouse in the Township and Parish of Sheffield in the said West Riding of the County of York.

Company not to use Lands of Canal Company not included in Limits of Deviation.

XIV. Provided always, and be it enacted, That nothing in this Act contained shall authorize the Railway Company so to use or appropriate for the Purpose of the said Railway, or for the Works or Stations connected therewith, any of the Lands or Hereditaments belonging to the said Canal Company not included within the Limits of Deviation shown upon the Plan herein-before referred to, as to prevent the same being continued to be so used as Wharfage, anything to the contrary herein contained in anywise notwithstanding.

As to Construction of Part of Station.

XV. And whereas it is expedient that Provision should be made on Part of the Land on which the said Station is to be constructed for the Accommodation of the Merchandize conveyed along the Sheffield Canal to or from the River Dun: Be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the Company to enter into Agreements with the Company of Proprietors of the Navigation of the River Dun touching the Construction of the said Station and the Use thereof for the Purposes of the said Merchandize.

Lands for extraordinary Purposes.

XVI. And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the Company to purchase any Quantity of Land for extraordinary Purposes not exceeding Five Acres, in addition to the Lands which are authorized by the said recited Acts to be taken for such Purposes.

Period for compulsory Purchase of Lands limited.

XVII. And be it enacted, That the Powers of the Company for the compulsory Purchase of Lands for the Purposes of this Act shall not be exercised after the Expiration of Three Years from the passing of this Act.

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XVIII. And be it enacted, That the said Railway and Works Period for hereby authorized shall be completed within Five Years from the completion passing of this Act, and on the Expiration of such Period the Powers by this or the said former Acts granted for executing the same shall cease to be exercised, except as to so much of the same as shall then be completed.

of Works.

XIX. And be it enacted, That the Provisions contained in the said Charges recited Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the Ninth and limited by Tenth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled An Act 9 & 10 Vict. to amalgamate the Sheffield, Ashton-under Lyne, and Manchester Rail- Conveyance way Company, the Sheffield and Lincolnshire Junction, the Sheffield of Passenand Lincolnshire Extension, and the Great Grimsby and Sheffield gers, &c. to Railway Companies, and the Grimsby Dock Company, whereby the Charges Clauses for the Conveyance of Passengers and of Goods and Cattle under this are limited and regulated, shall extend and apply to the Charges to Act. be made in respect of the Use of the Branch Railway by this Act authorized, and of the Engines and Carriages employed by the Company thereon.

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XX. And whereas an Act was passed in the Second Year of the Railway Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled An Act to provide for the Company to Conveyance of the Mails by Railway; and another Act was passed in the Prothe Fourth Year of the Reign of Her said Majesty, intituled An Act visions of for regulating Railways; and another Act was passed in the Sixth 1 & 2 Vict. Year of the Reign of Her said Majesty, intituled An Act for the better 98. Regulation of Railways, and for the Conveyance of Troops; and c. 97. another Act was passed in the Eighth Year of the Reign of Her 5 & 6 Vict. said Majesty, intituled An Act to attach certain Conditions to the c.55. Construction of future Railways authorized or to be authorized by any 7 & 8 Vict. Construction of future Kanways animorized or to be authorized by any c.85, and Act of the present or succeeding Sessions of Parliament, and for other 9 & 10 Vict.Purposes in relation to Railways; and another Act was passed in the cc. 57. 105. Session of Parliament held in the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reign of Her said Majesty, intituled An Act for regulating the Gauge of Railways; and another Act was passed in the same Session of Parliament, intituled An Act for constituting Commissioners of Railways: Be it enacted, That nothing in this Act contained shall be held to exempt the said Railway and Works or the said Company from the Provisions of the said several Acts respectively, but that such Provisions shall be in force in respect to the said Railway and Works and Company so far as the same are applicable.

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XXI. And be it enacted, That nothing herein contained shall be Railway not deemed or construed to exempt the Railway by this or the said exempt recited Acts authorized to be made from the Provisions of any visions of general Act relating to such Acts, or of any general Act relating to future Railways, now in force or which may hereafter pass during this or general Acts. any future Session of Parliament, or from any future Revision or Alteration, under the Authority of Parliament, of the maximum Rates of Fares and Charges authorized by the said recited Acts or this Act.

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Expenses of Act.

XXII. And be it enacted, That all the Costs, Charges, and Expenses of and attending the passing of this Act, or incidental thereto, shall be paid by the said Company, pari passu with the Costs, Charges, and Expenses of any other Act of Parliament passed in the present Session to which they may be liable, out of the first Monies that shall come to their Hands, and in preference to any other Payment whatsoever.

Short Title of Act.

XXIII. And be it enacted, That in citing this Act in other Acts of Parliament, and in legal Instruments and other Proceedings, it shall be sufficient to refer to and describe it by the Title of "The Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railways (Station at Sheffield and Branch to the Sheffield Canal) Act, 1848."

Public Act.

XXIV. And be it enacted, That this Act shall be a Public Act, and shall be judicially taken notice of as such.

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