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Brockville to Ottawa. On Saturday by special invitation, a number of gentlemen met in the office of the BW&SSM Railway Co to have an informal discussion respecting a projected railway from Brockville to Ottawa, for which a charter exists under the name of the New York, St Lawrence and Ottawa railway. The persons incorporated by the act are R.G. Hervey, Robert Bowie, W.B. Smellie, G. H. Weatherhead and H.T. Fitzsimmons, and the act authorizes the construction of a road from Ottawa to Brockville or to a point between Brockville and Westport on the line of the BW&SSM.

There were present the following: R.G. Hervey, J.F. Wood MP, R Bowie, W.H. Cole, G.H. Weatherhead, H.T. Fitzsimmons, Brockville; O. Bush, reeve of Oxford and warden of Leeds and Grenville; R. J. Jelly, reeve, T. Smith and D.W. Ross, deputy Reeves of Elizabethtown; D.J. Hall, reeve of Merrickville; G. Keating, reeve of Kemptville; H. Hughes, reeve of Kemptville; H. Hughes, reeve of South Gower; John Ferguson, reeve of Wolford; John Chapman, reeve of Augusta, and J.J. Bell of the Recorder and N.B. Colcock of the Times...