



CHAPTER 51

An Act to establish an Arts and Trades School at Rouyn

[Assented to, the 22nd of June, 1940]

WHEREAS there has been erected in Rouyn, on a **Preamble.** piece of ground which is the property of His Majesty in the rights of this Province, a building not yet complete, intended to be used as an arts and trades school;

Whereas such work was effected without legislative authority, without order-in-council and without contract;

Whereas, to utilize such building, it is expedient to provide for the fitting up of an arts and trades school therein, but only a portion of the building is required for such purpose;

Whereas the remainder may be used to advantage by the school commissioners of Rouyn who are ready to assume the completion thereof;

Whereas it is expedient to authorize the Provincial Secretary to effect a settlement with the contractor and to conclude an arrangement with the school commissioners of Rouyn;

Therefore His Majesty, with the advise and consent of the Legislative council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows;

1. The Provincial Secretary is authorized to enter into, with the person who did the work of constructing **Payment in settlement.**

Sum paid
out of con-
solidated
revenue fund

an arts and trades school at Rouyn, an agreement for the payment of a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, in settlement of all claims for such construction. The Provincial Treasurer is authorized to pay the sum so fixed, out of the consolidated revenue fund, upon production of a certificate of the Provincial Secretary.

Conditions
for entering
into contract
with school
commis-
sioners.

2. The Provincial Secretary is authorized to enter into a contract with the school commissioners of the town of Rouyn, upon the following conditions;

1. The above-mentioned building, as well as the piece of ground on which it is erected, shall be transferred gratuitously to the said school commissioners who shall accept them in their present state;

2. The school commissioners shall bind themselves to complete the construction according to plans approved by the Provincial Secretary, to fit up the building and to utilize it as a school of primary education;

3. The school commissioners shall bind themselves to give to the Government of the Province the gratuitous use of a sufficient space for an arts and trades school;

4. Any other stipulations that the Provincial Secretary shall deem useful to agree upon with the said school commissioners.

School com-
missioners
authorized.

3. The school commissioners of the town Rouyn are authorized to enter into and to execute the contract contemplated in the preceding section.

Coming into
force.

4. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.