



CHAPTER 116

An Act to incorporate *L'Hôpital du Sacré-Cœur de Plessisville*

[Assented to, the 24th of February, 1927]

WHEREAS Dames Marie Zenaide Demers, dite Marie Preamble.
de la Présentation, Marie E. Fabiola Jacques, dite
Sister St. Wilfrid, M. B. Bernadette Desjardins, dite Marie
de la Paix, and Cora Desrochers, dite Ste. Albina, all four
Sisters of Charity of Quebec, presently residing at Plessis-
ville, and respectively superioress, assistant, *économe* and
secretary of the hospital kept by the Sisters of Charity of
Plessisville, commonly known under the name of *Hôpital
du Sacré-Cœur de Plessisville*, have, by their petition, re-
presented:

That, for the further development of the present hospital
to which the petitioners may later add an asylum and
orphanage, and in order to devote to it all the funds re-
ceived through the generosity of the inhabitants of Plessis-
ville, it is necessary to erect it into a distinct corporation;

That the petitioners have obtained the consent of His
Grace the Archbishop of Quebec;

That the council of the Sisters of Charity of Quebec has
also consented;

Whereas they have prayed for the passing of an act for
the above purposes; and

Whereas it is expedient to grant such prayer;

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent of
the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of
Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. The superioress, assistant, *économe* and secretary of Incorpora-
the hospital maintained by the Sisters of Charity of Quebec, tion.
at Plessisville, commonly known by the name of *Hôpital
du Sacré-Cœur de Plessisville*, and their successors as supe-
rioress, assistant, *économe* and secretary, appointed to such
offices by the Council of the Sisters of Charity of Quebec,

Name. are hereby constituted a corporation under the name of
L'Hôpital du Sacré-Cœur de Plessisville.

Corporate seat. **2.** The corporate seat of the corporation shall be at Plessisville.

Powers of the corporation. **3.** The corporation shall have the powers, rights and privileges pertaining to ordinary civil corporations, and it may:

- a. Have a common seal and alter it at will;
- b. Appear before the courts;
- c. Accept, acquire and possess, according to law, rights, moveables and immoveables, provided the annual revenue from the immoveables belonging to the corporation and possessed by it, for revenue purposes, does not exceed one hundred thousand dollars;
- d. Administer such property and draw the revenues thereof, rent, sell, exchange, cede and alienate the same in any way whatsoever, or otherwise dispose of same;
- e. Borrow money and contract obligations, pledge its moveables and hypothecate its immoveables, by ordinary obligation or by an issue of bonds under a trust deed or without such deed;
- f. Adopt, for its organization and management, for the administration of its property and the disposal of its funds, and generally for all purposes cognate to its object, for the realization of its undertaking, for the carrying out of its aims and the exercise of its powers, the by-laws, regulations and orders which it may think proper, provided they contain nothing contrary to the laws of this Province.

Additional powers. **4.** By an agreement between the corporation and *Les Sœurs de la Charité de Québec*, approved by His Grace the Archbishop of Quebec, the corporation may cede all its moveables and immoveables to the Sisters of Charity of Quebec, which latter shall assume all the debts and obligations of the corporation, and, from the date of such cession, the corporation shall cease to exist.

Annual statement transmitted to Lt.-Gov. in C. **5.** The corporation shall transmit to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council annually in the month of January, and whenever thereunto required, a statement of the property held by the corporation, the names of its officers and copy of its rules and by-laws.

Coming into force. **6.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.