

shall continue to apply or be applicable to the Central Board as well as to the local boards.

29. With the consent and approval of the Central Board any local board may unite with any other local board for all school purposes, to form one local board.

Approval. Any such union or amalgamation of local boards shall take effect only on the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

By-laws, etc. in force. **30.** All by-laws, resolutions or ordinances, agreements, engagements or other public acts passed or consented to by any local board affected by this act, and now in force, shall remain in force and retain their legal effect so long as they are not inconsistent with any provision of this act, and so long as they are not set aside, amended or cancelled, and so long as their object is not accomplished.

Current administrative acts only, for certain period. **31.** Between the date of the sanction of this act and the 30th of June, 1925, the local boards affected by this act shall perform only acts of current administration; any matter relating to the building of a schoolhouse or to a loan may be settled only subject to the approval of the Director of Protestant Education in the Province.

Extent of repeals. **32.** All provisions of any act either general or special, affecting any of the local boards placed by this act under the jurisdiction of the Central Board, are hereby repealed insofar as they may be incompatible with the provisions of this act.

Coming into force. **33.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

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An Act to amend the acts respecting the Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the City of Quebec

[Assented to, the 4th of March, 1925]

Preamble. **W**HEREAS the Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the City of Quebec has, by its petition, represented that it is necessary for the Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the City of Quebec to contract new loans in order to erect new school houses, to improve and furnish the same, and to enlarge existing schools, and to consolidate and convert into bonds old

debts created by the purchase of properties or buildings;
and

Whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer contained in the said petition;

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

1. Over and above the powers granted by section 1 of the act 14 George V, chapter 36, the Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the City of Quebec, notwithstanding the provisions to the contrary contained in section 35 of the act 32 Victoria, chapter 16, or any other act, is hereby authorized to borrow, by means of an issue of bonds or debentures, the following amounts:

a. Two hundred and twelve thousand dollars, to erect, enlarge, improve and furnish schoolhouses in the city of Quebec;

b. Three hundred and thirteen thousand dollars to consolidate and convert into bonds old debts created by the purchase of properties or buildings.

Such bonds or debentures shall be issued in accordance with the requirements of the said Board, and shall be redeemable, within a delay of not more than thirty years, by annual or semi-annual payments, or in any other manner that the Board shall deem suitable, at such rate of interest, not exceeding six per cent, as the Board may fix.

The said Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the City of Quebec may borrow temporarily, in any other manner, a part of the sums hereinabove authorized, provided that such temporary loans shall not exceed the sum of one hundred thousand dollars.

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

C H A P. 47

An Act respecting the officers of justice and their deputies
and employees

[Assented to, the 4th of March, 1925]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. Article 3066 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, as amended R. S., 3066, am.