

and from that time only, cease to have force; and such by-laws, rules and regulations shall have the same force and effect as if they were embodied in this act, and copies thereof, under the seal, purporting to be signed by the secretary of the said corporation, shall be received as *prima facie* evidence thereof in all courts of justice; the board of management may from time to time invest any funds of money appertaining to the corporation, in bonds or stocks of any legally constituted corporation, or of any government or municipal or school corporation, or in mortgages or hypothecs upon immoveable property, but the provisions thereof shall not prevent them from accepting and taking personal security hereinabove provided for.

Amalgamation.

“7d. The corporation shall have the power to absorb, amalgamate with or purchase any other hospital, as well as institutions for the care of incurables, aged and infirm, sanatoria for the treatment of tuberculosis or any other diseases, convalescent homes, or any other institution of a similar nature; in short, to be enabled to carry on the work of that of a general hospital.”

5 Geo. V, c. 150, s. 10, replaced.
Reservation.

2. Section 10 of the act 5 George V, chapter 150, is replaced by the following:

“10. Nothing in this act shall have the effect of taking the corporation out of the control of the provisions of the charter, laws and by-laws of the municipalities in which the said corporation intends to exercise its rights, nor of the provisions of the Quebec Public Health Act.”

Coming into force.

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

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An Act to amend the charter of *l'Aide à l'Hôtel-Dieu du Saint-Sacrement*

[Assented to, the 3rd of April, 1925]

Preamble.

WHEREAS *l'Aide à l'Hôtel-Dieu du Saint-Sacrement* of Quebec, incorporated as a charitable association on the 10th of January, 1923, under articles 6896 and following of the Revised Statutes, 1909, has begun the erection of a large general hospital on the north side of the Ste. Foye road, in the parish of St. Sacrement, city of Quebec;

Whereas the considerable development of this work of public utility requires that the charter of the society be

changed and that more ample powers be given to it, and it is expedient to grant the prayer to that effect;

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

1. The present members of *l'Aide à l'Hôtel-Dieu du Saint-Sacrement* are incorporated under the name of *l'Hôpital du Saint-Sacrement*. Incorporation; name.

2. The corporate seat of the corporation shall be in the city of Quebec. Corporate seat.

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

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 on the credit of the corporation;

f. Issue bonds or other securities of the corporation and give the same in guarantee or sell them at the price and amount considered advisable;

g. Hypothecate, mortgage or pledge the immoveables of the corporation to assure the payment of such bonds or other securities, or give a part only of these guarantees for the same object; and constitute the hypothec, mortgage or pledge, mentioned in this sub-paragraph, by a deed of trust or in any other way;

h. Hypothecate or mortgage the immoveables to assure the payment of loans made otherwise than by bond issues as well as the payment or execution of other debts, contracts or undertakings of the corporation.

i. 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 and orders which it may think proper, provided they contain nothing contrary to the laws of this Province.

Adminis-
trative
council.

4. The administrative council shall be composed of the nine directors at present in office, who shall remain in office until the next general meeting of the members of the corporation, when they may be re-elected. The directors shall choose from among themselves the president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer of the said corporation and all other officers whom they wish to appoint.

Qualifica-
tion, etc.

The directors shall determine the qualifications and conditions required to become a member of the corporation.

Effect of
signatures.

5. The signature of any person appointed by resolution of the administrative council shall be binding upon the corporation.

Holding of
land, au-
thorized.

6. Notwithstanding the provisions of article 6113 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, the corporation may hold more than ten acres of ground; and the association for which the said corporation is substituted is declared to have had the right to acquire and hold more than ten acres of ground.

Substitu-
tion.

7. The corporation shall be substituted in all the rights and privileges, in a word, in all the assets of *l'Aide à l'Hôtel-Dieu du Saint-Sacrement*, but upon the condition of paying all its debts and fulfilling all its contracts.

Putting into
effect.

In order to carry this section into effect, a declaration shall be delivered to the registrar of the registration division of Quebec, containing the description of the immovables and real rights belonging to the corporation called *l'Aide à l'Hôtel-Dieu du Saint-Sacrement* and alleging this act as the title of transfer to *l'Hôpital du Saint-Sacrement*.

Statement
transmitted
to Lt.-Gov.
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8. 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 a copy of its rules and by-laws.

Coming into
force.

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