

disposal of the mortal remains of the members or benefactors of the community, or of any other person in any way connected with the community.

6. The corporation shall be substituted in all the rights and privileges, and, in a word, in all the assets of *Les Dames Religieuses de Jésus-Marie*, incorporated by the act 24 Victoria, chapter 118, but must discharge all the liabilities thereof.

In order to give effect to this section, there must be fyled in the hands of the registrar in each registration division wherein is situated any immoveable property or real right belonging to the corporation called *Les Dames Religieuses de Jésus-Marie*, a declaration of the said immoveable property or real right, and citing this act as a title of conveyance.

7. 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.

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

C H A P. 131

An Act to amend the charter of *La Société de Marie-Réparatrice*

[Assented to, the 15th of March, 1924]

WHEREAS the community called *La Société de Marie-Réparatrice* has, by its petition, represented:

That it is a body politic and corporate, duly incorporated by the act 2 George V, chapter 126;

That the said community is a charitable and benevolent institution, engaged in social work;

That the said community has grown exceedingly since its inception, that it has multiplied its charitable and benevolent works, and possesses several establishments in the Province, and desires to establish still others;

That it is expedient to more clearly define the rights of the said community, and to banish all doubts in respect thereof, and, in view of the development and requirements of the said community, that its charter should be amended,

and more ample powers necessary for its purposes be vested in it;

Whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer to the effect as follows, 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:

2 Geo. V, c. 126, s. 1, replaced.

Incorporation.

1. Section 1 of the act 2 George V, chapter 126, is replaced by the following:

“**1.** The community of *La Société de Marie-Réparatrice* shall be a corporation consisting of Madeleine Michel de Villebois, in religion, Mother Marie de Ste. Elizabeth de France, Superioress; Aline Planchenault, in religion, Mother Marie du Bienheureux Gonzalès; Marguerite de Touchéboeuf-Clermont, in religion Mother Marie de Ste. Domitilla, and Maud Cameron, in religion Mother Marie of Stella Maris, all domiciled in Montreal, and also other persons now constituting or who may constitute such community in accordance with its rules, statutes and by-laws.

Perpetual succession.

It shall, under the above name, have perpetual succession.

Powers, rights and privileges.

It may have a common seal which it may change at will, appear before the courts, purchase, acquire, hold, possess, have, accept and receive, for the needs and objects of the corporation, and for revenue purposes, lands, tenements, hereditaments, constituted and other rents, and generally all moveable and immoveable property whatsoever, either in trust or otherwise, either by purchase, donation, legacy, gift or otherwise, and may sell, alienate, hypothecate, convey, lease, transfer, exchange or otherwise dispose of the same for the same purposes. Provided that the net annual revenue of the immoveable property it may hold in this Province for purposes of revenue only, not including the property already held by it or what will be acquired in the place of the latter or with the proceeds thereof, shall not be greater than fifty thousand dollars.

Property exceeding authorized amount.

In the event of the said corporation receiving by gift, will or otherwise, any immoveable property in excess of that which it is hereby authorized to possess, the said acquisition shall not on that account be void, but the said corporation shall be bound, within ten years from the date of its entering into possession of the said property, to sell or dispose of the said immoveable property or part of it, or some other of its immoveable property, in such manner as not to exceed the amount hereinabove set forth.”

2 Geo. V, c. 126, s. 1a, added.

2. The said act 2 George V, chapter 126, is amended by inserting therein, after section 1 thereof, the following:

"1a. The said society, in addition to the powers vested by law in every corporation, shall have the power to make such loans as it may deem expedient, issue debentures, notes, drafts, cheques and other negotiable instruments, hypothecate, mortgage or pledge, as security for such loans, in whole or in part, its moveable and immoveable property, and generally enjoy, for the above purposes, full civil rights.

Before every issue of bonds or debentures hypothecating, mortgaging or pledging the property of the community, a resolution to that effect must be passed unanimously by the council of the corporation, and in such case articles 6119a, 6119b, 6119c and 6119d of the Revised Statutes, 1909, shall apply, *mutatis mutandis*, to the bonds so issued."

3. Section 2 of the said act is replaced by the following:

"2. The community may have establishments for pious, charitable, and beneficent works, and works for social welfare in the Province or elsewhere."

4. The said act 2 George V, chapter 126, is amended by inserting therein, after section 2 thereof, the following:

"2a. The said corporation shall have the right to establish houses to lodge and board any persons who wish to entrust themselves to the care of the sisters of the said society, establish homes and workrooms for the poor, elementary and industrial schools, and maintain dispensaries; it may also assist or support and have an interest in any corporation, society or community in this Province or elsewhere, with objects similar to those of the present corporation."

5. The said act 2 George V, chapter 126, is amended by inserting therein, after section 3 thereof, the following:

"3a. The council of the corporation may appoint such officers, procurators or administrators as it may deem expedient, both for the internal government of the community and for the proper administration of its property and business in general; such procurators or administrators may be members of the community or any other persons outside thereof."

6. Section 5 of the said act is replaced by the following:

"5. For all the purposes of this act or of anything that may be done under the authority thereof, the said community may be represented and may act under its corporate name and through the intermediary of the superior and one of her assistants, or through the intermediary

Power to make loans, issue debentures, etc.

Formalities.

Provisions applicable.

2 Geo. V, c. 126, s. 2, replaced.

Establishments of community.

2 Geo. V, c. 126, s. 2a, added.

Corporation authorized to establish houses, etc.

2 Geo. V, c. 126, s. 3a, added.

Corporation authorized to name officers, etc.

2 Geo. V, c. 126, s. 5, replaced.

Right to be represented and to act under its corporate name.

of two other sisters authorized therefor by resolution of the council of the said community."

2 Geo. V, c. 126, s. 5a, added. **7.** The said act 2 George V, chapter 126, is amended by inserting therein, after section 5 thereof, the following:

Charter, acts and by-laws applicable. **"5a.** Nothing in this act shall have the effect of withdrawing the corporation from the scope of the provisions of the charter, acts and by-laws of any municipality in which the said corporation exercises its powers, nor from the scope of the provisions of the Quebec Public Health Act."

Interpretation. **8.** This act must not be interpreted as indicating that the said community had not, before the 15th day of March, 1924, the powers as hereinabove defined, nor as having the effect of taking away, restricting or limiting any rights, powers or privileges at present possessed by the said community in virtue of any statute at present in force, or otherwise.

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

C H A P. 132

An Act to amend the charter of *Les Sœurs de Saint-François d'Assise*

[Assented to, the 15th of March, 1924]

Preamble. **W**HEREAS *Les Sœurs de Saint-François d'Assise* have, by their petition, represented that it is necessary to make certain amendments to their charter, as enacted by the act 6 Edward VII, chapter 101; 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:

6 Ed. VII, c. 101, s. 2, replaced. **1.** Section 2 of the act 6 Edward VII, chapter 101, is replaced by the following:

Powers, rights and privileges. **"2.** Under such name the corporation shall have perpetual succession and may:

a. Adopt regulations and by-laws for the government of the community, the management of the corporation and the general administration of its affairs;