

4. The amounts realized from the sale of these bonds or debentures shall be used for the enlargement of the existing schools, and for the purchase of furniture and supplies required in this connection; for the purchase of lands for new schools, for their construction and the purchase of furniture, supplies and the necessary equipment therefor. The Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the city of Sherbrooke is moreover authorized by this act to use out of such loans an amount of fifty thousand dollars to pay an issue of bonds dated the first of June, 1913, amounting to fifty thousand dollars and maturing on the first of June, 1923.

5. Each of the said Boards may from time to time use the amounts available, deposited in a sinking-fund for the payment of an issue of unredeemed bonds, to redeem the bonds of such issue or a part thereof at a price not exceeding par, with accrued interest.

6. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary and without prejudice to the powers granted by this act and the several above cited acts in sections 1 and 2, each of the said Boards may, in future, from time to time, borrow moneys by means of an issue of bonds or debentures under articles 2728 and following of the Revised Statutes, 1909, and amendments thereto.

7. The Protestant Board of School Commissioners of the City of Sherbrooke may appoint, for such period and salary as it may see fit, a Superintendent and an Assistant Superintendent, or either of such officers, to supervise and co-ordinate the work of the schools under the jurisdiction, with such powers and subject to such limitations as the Board may by resolution determine.

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

CHAP. 46

An Act respecting school taxation in the city of Verdun

[Assented to, the 29th of December, 1922]

WHEREAS the Protestant Board of School Trustees of the City of Verdun has represented that the number of pupils in the schools under its control is large; that the amount of taxable property in the said city is comparatively

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and proportionally small; that in consequence the ordinary school tax for the maintenance of the said schools is levied at a high rate, and that this high rate constitutes a heavy burden upon the said Protestant proprietors; and

Whereas it is expedient that relief should be afforded to the said Protestant Board of School Trustees of the City of Verdun;

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

Levying of the ordinary school tax upon legally incorporated companies.

1. The corporation of the Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the City of Verdun, notwithstanding any of the provisions of article 2891 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, or of any other act, which may be to the contrary, or in lieu thereof, shall, each year, levy the ordinary school tax upon legally incorporated corporations and companies upon the basis of the ordinary rate levied every year by the Protestant School Trustees of the City of Verdun, and remit to the latter the proportion coming to them under the provisions of article 2891 of the said Statutes.

Current year.

2. This act shall apply to the current school year.

Coming into force.

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

CHAP. 47

An Act respecting the School Trustees for the municipality of the city of Outremont

[Assented to, the 29th of December, 1922]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the school trustees for the municipality of the city of Outremont have, by their petition, represented that, owing to the increased population of the city and to its development, it is expedient to increase the representation upon the school board by providing for the election of six trustees instead of three trustees, to define and extend the powers of the board, to provide for defraying the cost of the education of children of residents of the municipality who are neither Protestant nor Roman Catholic in religion, and generally to provide more efficiently for the educational requirements of the municipality;

Whereas, it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition;