

C H A P. 52

An Act to amend the act 40 Victoria, chapter 23, respecting public instruction in the city of Sherbrooke

[Assented to, 19th of March, 1921]

WHEREAS the Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the city of Sherbrooke and the Board of Protestant School Commissioners of the city of Sherbrooke, have, by their petition, represented that the present rate of the school tax has become insufficient to provide for the needs of their schools, and it is necessary to increase the same, and, moreover, that it has become necessary for the Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the city of Sherbrooke to purchase land for school purposes, to build new schools and, to that end, to effect an additional loan of one hundred thousand dollars; Preamble.

Whereas it is expedient to grant such requests;

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

1. Section 11 of the act 40 Victoria, chapter 23, as replaced by the act 4 Edward VII, chapter 54, section 1, is replaced by the following: 40 Vict., c. 23, s. 11, replaced.

“**11.** The Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the city of Sherbrooke, and the Board of Protestant School Commissioners of the city of Sherbrooke, may, from time to time, meet together for the purpose of determining the rate of the tax to be imposed on immoveables in the city for school purposes for each year, beginning on the first day of July, provided, however, that such tax shall not in any case be less than four mills nor more than ten mills in the dollar.” Joint meeting of school boards.

2. The Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the city of Sherbrooke, may, in addition to the loans already contracted by it under the acts 41 Victoria chapter 7, 5 Edward VII, chapter 92, 2 George V, chapter 29, section 1, and 3 George V, chapter 31, borrow an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, by issuing bonds payable to bearer for an amount of not less than one hundred dollars each, and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent per annum, payable every six months. Such bonds may be made redeemable within a period not exceeding forty years, and be signed by the president and secretary; the coupons shall bear the secre- Additional loan authorized.
Bond issue.

tary's signature, which may however be printed, engraved or lithographed. The resolution making provision for the issue of the above-mentioned bonds must provide for the establishment of a sinking-fund sufficient to pay them in full at maturity. Section 13 of the act 41 Victoria, chapter 7, shall apply to the bonds so issued.

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ceeds.

3. The amount so realized by the Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the city of Sherbrooke must be employed in the purchase of land and in the construction of two school-houses.

Coming
into force.

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

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An Act to amend the charter of the Polytechnic School

[Assented to, 19th of March, 1921]

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

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1. Section 17 of the act 57 Victoria, chapter 23, as amended by the acts 3 Edward VII, chapter 17, section 4; 7 Edward VII, chapter 28, section 1; 8 Edward VII, chapter 31, section 1; 9 Edward VII, chapter 35, section 1; 1 George V (2nd session), chapter 30, section 2; 3 George V, chapter 26, section 1; 4 George V, chapter 26, section 1; and 8 George V, chapter 41, section 1, is further amended by replacing the word: "fifty-five", in the fourth line thereof, by the word: "eighty".

Coming
into force.

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