

8, and their successors, shall always be on the board of governors. The remaining governors shall be elected annually from among the persons qualified under the terms of section 12, which number, however, may be increased by by-law of the corporation, as may be deemed necessary or expedient.

Qualifications for governor.

12. All life members, and all ordinary members who are donors of twenty-five dollars or upwards per year and not in arrears for any such subscriptions, shall be eligible as governors, provided always that such persons shall at the time of their election be connected with one of the Protestant denominations in the Province of Quebec.

Tenure of office.

13. Except as regards the clergymen above mentioned, the governors shall hold office for one year or until their successors are appointed.

Powers of board.

14. The governors shall have full power to manage and administer the affairs of the corporation, which corporation may from time to time make by-laws providing for the officers of the corporation and for the management of all matters in connection with its administration.

Head office.

15. The head office of the corporation shall be at the town of Richmond in the Province of Quebec.

Statement for Lt. Gov. in C.

16. The corporation shall transmit to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, when thereunto required by the Provincial Secretary, a detailed statement of its movable and immovable property, the names of its officers, and a certified copy of its rules and regulations.

Coming into force.

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

CHAP. 140

An Act to incorporate *l'Hôpital Noël* of Sherbrooke

[Assented to, 14th of February, 1920]

Preamble.

WHEREAS Joseph Emile Noel, surgeon, and his wife separate as to property by marriage contract, Marie Isola Alberta Bérubé, authorized by her said husband; Joseph Henri Laliberté, physician; Wilfrid Routhier, accountant, and Joseph Félix Oliva Noel,

medical student, all of the city of Sherbrooke, have, by their petition, represented that they wish to be incorporated under the name of "*l'Hôpital Noël*";

And whereas it is expedient to grant their prayer;

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

1. The said Joseph Emile Noel, surgeon, and his wife ^{Corpor-}separate as to property by marriage contract, Marie ^{ation con-}Isola Alberta Bérubé; Joseph Henri Laliberté, physician; Wilfrid Routhier, accountant, and Joseph Félix Oliva Noel, medical student, all of the city of Sherbrooke, and all other persons who may become shareholders in the said corporation, are incorporated under the name of "*l'Hôpital Noël*". ^{Name.}

2. The principal seat of the corporation shall be in the ^{Principal}city of Sherbrooke in the district of St. Francis. ^{seat.}

3. The objects of the corporation are as follows: ^{to Objects.} receive, care for and board sick, infirm and other persons; to promote medical and surgical sciences; to train sick and maternity nurses and attendants and to grant them certificates of capacity; to establish and develop clinical laboratory and scientific researches, and, subject to article 4882 and following, of the Revised Statutes, 1909, respecting anatomy, to practise the dissection of bodies for teaching the surgeons and physicians of the hospital.

4. In addition to the powers conferred by the Joint ^{Additional}Stock Companies General Clauses Act (articles 5957 ^{powers.} to 6001 inclusive of the Revised Statutes, 1909), the company may further exercise the following powers: receive gifts and subscriptions; make and be a party to contracts for the admission and treatment of patients; acquire, lease, hold, exchange, and alienate property; borrow; and pledge wholly or in part its moveable property or hypothecate its immoveable property to guarantee such loans and obligations.

5. The authorized amount of the capital stock of the ^{Capital}company shall be fifty thousand dollars, and it may be ^{stock.}increased, from time to time, to one hundred and forty-nine thousand dollars by a by-law passed by the directors and deposited in the office of the Provincial Secretary after having been approved by the vote of the shareholders, ^{Approval}representing at least two-thirds in value of the total subscribed ^{by share-}holders.

Value of shares. capital, at a special general meeting of the company duly called for such purpose. The shares shall be of one hundred dollars each.

Provisional directors. **6.** Joseph Emile Noel, Marie Isola Alberta Bérubé, Joseph Henri Laliberté and Wilfrid Routhier shall be the first or provisional directors of the company.

Statement for Lt. Gov. in C. **7.** The corporation shall transmit to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, when thereunto required by the Provincial Secretary, a detailed statement of its moveable and immoveable property, the names of its officers, and a certified copy of its rules and regulations.

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

CHAP. 141

An Act to incorporate the Association of Registered Nurses of the Province of Quebec

[Assented to, 14th of February, 1920]

Preamble. **W**HEREAS, Miss Mathilda Guilmette, Miss Amanda Séguin, Miss Huberta Chagnon, Miss May Beaudoin, Miss Zaidee Young, Miss Olive DeLaney, Miss Lillian Phillips and Miss Mabel F. Hersey, all practising nurses of the city of Montreal, have, by their petition, asked for the incorporation of an association of nurses, with powers as herein provided, representing that such an incorporation would be both in the interest of the nursing profession and of the public;

And whereas it is expedient to grant their prayer;

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

Corporation created. **1.** The aforesaid persons, and all others who may become associated with them as hereinafter provided, are constituted a corporation under the name of the "Association of Registered Nurses of the Province of Quebec".

Objects. **2.** The objects of the association are to provide a body of fully trained and competent nurses for the care of the sick, and to provide means whereby those who possess such competency and training may be made known to the