

Republic, and, if it be executed in Belgium, before the Agent-General of the Province in the Kingdom of Belgium.”

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

CHAP. 75

An Act to amend article 1994 of the Civil Code

[Assented to 9th February, 1918]

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

C. C., art. 1994, am. **1.** Paragraph 9 of article 1994 of the Civil Code, as contained in article 5825 of the Revised Statutes, 1888, and as amended by the act 59 Victoria, chapter 41, section 1, is replaced by the following:

“9. Servants’ wages and those of employees of railway companies engaged in manual labor, sums due under article 7340 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, and sums due for supplies of provisions.”

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

CHAP. 76

An Act to amend articles 2161 and 2162 of the Civil Code relating to the keeping of certain registers in registry offices

[Assented to 9th February, 1918]

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

C. C., art. 2161, am. **1.** Article 2161 of the Civil Code, as amended by the acts 2 Edward VII, chapter 39, section 1, and 3 George V, chapter 48, section 1, is again amended by replacing paragraph 3 thereof by the following:

Contents of entry-book. “3. An entry-book in which are entered the year,

month, day and hour when each document is brought for registration or deposited for cancellation, the names of the parties to the same and of the person by whom the same is brought, the date of the document, the name of the notary who received it, if a notarial deed, the nature of the right of which registration is required or cancellation applied for, and a general description of the immoveable affected thereby."

2. Article 2162 of the Civil Code is amended by replacing the words: "any registry division the population of which exceeds fifty thousand souls", in the last two lines of the last paragraph thereof, by the words: "any other registry division" C. C., art. 2162, am.

3. Every proclamation issued under the authority of section 2 of this act shall have the effect of validating registrations previously made in the various books, without authority and contrary to the provisions of paragraph 4 of article 2161, and of the last paragraph of article 2162 of the Civil Code as it existed before the coming into force of this act. Validation of certain registrations by proclamation.

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

CHAP. 77

An Act respecting the acquisition and alienation of immoveable property by corporations and persons in mortmain

[Assented to 9th February, 1918]

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

1. The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may, on petition: on Lt.-Gov. in C. may grant

a. Grant to persons in mortmain and to corporations whose capacity in this respect is limited, authorization to acquire and hold immoveable property; and certain powers re property to corporations, &c.

b. Grant to persons in mortmain authorization to alienate and hypothecate their immoveable property when such authorization is required.