

18. The board of management, if authorized by the general council, may, in fixing the assessments for the insured, provide for the maintenance of a reserve fund sufficient to meet the cost of management and the proper working of the association.

19. The service of any document shall be made upon the secretary-treasurer of the board of management.

20. In order that they may be valid and obligatory, insurance policies must bear the signature of the general manager and that of the secretary-treasurer, or the signature of the president and that of the secretary-treasurer under the seal of the association.

21. This act shall apply only to corporations, educational and charitable institutions, parishes or *fabriques* and religious institutions, belonging to the Roman Catholic religion.

22. The Quebec Insurance Act shall apply to the association in so far as its provisions are not inconsistent with those of this act.

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

C H A P . 1 0 1

An Act to incorporate "Federation of Jewish Philanthropies of Montreal".

[Assented to 16th March, 1916]

WHEREAS the undermentioned persons have, by petition, represented that for the purpose of conducting charitable and philanthropic work, and of unifying and economising methods of collection, management and distribution of relief funds, they should be incorporated, and that other Jewish charitable and philanthropic institutions be authorized to unite or co-operate with the corporation for such purpose, and that the corporation should be granted all the necessary powers to carry out its objects;

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:

Incorporation.

1. Mortimer B. Davis, manufacturer; Mark Workman, manufacturer; Lyon Cohen, manufacturer; Maxwell Goldstein, advocate and King's Counsel; Samuel William Jacobs, advocate and King's Counsel; Moses A. Vineberg, merchant; Clarence I. de Sola, gentleman; David S. Friedman, manufacturer; Louis Lewis, manufacturer; Jacob A. Jacobs, gentleman; Michael Hirsch, manufacturer; Harris Vineberg, manufacturer; Solomon Kellert, manufacturer; Bernard Goldstein, manufacturer; Joseph Levinson, manufacturer; Abraham M. Vineberg, merchant; Rabbi Herman Abramowitz; Rabbi Nathan Gordon; Herbert Marcus Levine, manufacturer; Solomon Vineberg, student-at-law, all of the city of Montreal, and all other persons or institutions who may hereafter become members or constituents thereof, are hereby constituted a corporation under the name of "Federation of Jewish Philanthropies of Montreal," with its principal place of affairs in the city of Montreal.

Name.

Objects.

2. The objects of the corporation are to conduct, carry on and assist in all nature of charitable and philanthropic work in the Province of Quebec, and to co-operate with all or any other Jewish charitable and philanthropic institutions in all measures to unify and economise methods of collection, management and distribution of relief funds; and for such purposes any such Jewish charitable and philanthropic institutions which now or may hereafter exist, are, in addition to and notwithstanding any powers or restrictions which may have been granted to, or exist under the charter or constitution of any such institution, hereby authorized to federate, co-operate, unite with, or become a constituent of the corporation presently formed, and to enact the necessary by-laws to give effect thereto.

Powers.

3. The corporation shall have all the powers conferred by law upon civil corporations. It shall have perpetual succession, may have a common seal, may contract with any public or private corporation, person, firm or society, sue and be sued, and have power to take, hold, possess and acquire by purchase, donation, devise, bequest or otherwise, all such moveable and immoveable property and rights as may be required for its use, or for the purpose of raising and providing revenue to carry out its objects; provided that the annual revenue of the immoveable property owned by the corporation and held for revenue purposes only at any one time shall not exceed the sum of one hundred thousand dollars. It may borrow moneys, sell, mortgage, pledge, hypothecate or alienate or otherwise

deal with its immoveable or moveable property, rights and securities in any manner whatsoever.

4. In the event of the corporation receiving by gift or will any immoveable property, in excess of that which it is hereby authorized to possess, the said gift or legacy shall not on that account be void, but the corporation shall be bound, within three years from the date of its entering into peaceful possession of the said gift or legacy to sell and dispose of the said immoveable property, or part of it or some of its immoveable property, in such manner that the immoveable property of the said corporation held for revenue purposes only shall not exceed in annual value the sum of one hundred thousand dollars.

Property received in excess of limitation.

5. The corporation may issue from time to time bonds and debentures secured by deed of hypothec, mortgage or pledge on its moveable or immoveable property by way of a deed of trust in favor of trustees for the bondholders or otherwise, and the same may call in, re-issue or replace, and may issue new bonds and debentures, for the purposes of the corporation; provided that the outstanding amount of such bonds and debentures shall at no time exceed the sum of five hundred thousand dollars.

Bond issues.

6. The corporation shall have power to draw, make, accept and endorse bills of exchange, notes, cheques, and other negotiable instruments, under the hands of its officers, or others appointed by its board of administration from time to time.

Financial powers.

7. The corporation is authorized to make by-laws for the admission and expulsion of members and constituents, and generally for its regulation and government and the carrying out of its objects, and may add to, amend and repeal all or any of such by-laws, when and as may be deemed expedient, provided always that no by-law be inconsistent with this act or with the laws of the Province.

By-laws.

8. The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a board of administration, whose name, number, appointment, powers and tenure of office, shall be fixed by the said by-laws.

Management by board.

9. No member of the corporation shall be liable for any of the debts of the corporation beyond the amount of any subscription or donation which may be due by such member.

Limited liability.

Report to
Lt.-Gov. in
council.

10. The corporation shall transmit to the Lieutenant Governor in Council, annually 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

The provisions of the Quebec Insurance act, relating to charitable associations, shall apply to the corporation in so far as they are not inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

Provisions
to be applic-
able.

11. Nothing in this act shall have the effect of taking the corporation out of the control of the provisions of the charter, laws and by-laws of the municipalities in which the said corporation intends to exercise its rights, or of the provisions of the Quebec Public Health Act.

Coming into
force.

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

CHAP. 102

An Act to amend the charter of the Shamrock Amateur Athletic Association.

[Assented to 16th March, 1916]

Preamble.

WHEREAS The Shamrock Amateur Athletic Association has by its petition represented that it carries on a work among young men, which is educational, and that it finds it is necessary for such purposes to open and equip establishments in different places in the Province, to increase the annual valuation of real estate which it is permitted to hold, and that its property should be assimilated to that of educational establishments and institutions as regards exemption from taxation for municipal and school purposes, and that, consequently, it is advisable that the act 51-52 Victoria, chapter 69, should be amended as hereinafter proposed; and,

Whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of 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:

51-52 Viet.,
c. 69, s. 2,
replaced.

Right to
acquire and

1. Section 2 of the act 51-52 Victoria, chapter 69, is replaced by the following:

"2. The corporation shall have the right to purchase, acquire, hold, possess and enjoy all lands, tenements and