

privileges granted hereby to the *Sœurs Dominicaines de l'Enfant-Jésus*, without requiring a special act of incorporation in each case, each of said convents, houses or communities shall be administered by its Prioress and canonical council.

Statement to Lt. Gov. in C. **8.** The corporation shall transmit to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council whenever thereunto required by the Provincial Secretary, a detailed statement of its moveables and immoveables, the names of its officers and a certified copy of its rules and by-laws.

General laws applicable. **9.** Nothing in this act shall have the effect of relieving the corporation from the provisions of the charter, the law and the by-laws of the municipality within which the corporation shall establish the hospitals, boarding-houses, and other buildings and institutions mentioned in section 7 of this act, nor the provisions of the Quebec Public Health Act.

Coming into force. **10.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

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An Act to grant the Salvation Army power to perform acts of civil status and keep registers of civil status.

[Assented to 5th March, 1915]

Preamble. **W**HEREAS the Salvation Army, a religious body politic and corporate, duly incorporated by statute of Canada, and having its head office for the Dominion of Canada in the city of Toronto and Province of Ontario, and its chief office for the Province of Quebec in the city of Montreal, has represented by its petition that it is a well-established religious denomination, having regular congregations and a complete organization of ordained ministers of religion, entitled "staff officers"; and inasmuch as the said ministers have not the power generally accorded to similar ministers in other denominations, of performing acts of civil status and keeping registers of civil status; and inasmuch as it is prayed that the said powers be granted to the said Army; and inasmuch as the said powers have been granted to the Salvation Army in all the other Provinces of the Dominion; and inasmuch as it is expedient that the said petition be granted;

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent

of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. From and after the date of the passing of this act, the Ministers of ministers of the Salvation Army ordained according to its rites and entitled "Staff Officers", and each of them, shall have right and power to make, perform, and register all acts of civil status, and to keep registers of civil status for the congregations of the Salvation Army of which they respectively have charge; the whole according to the provisions of the Civil Code and of the Code of Civil Procedure in such case provided, and to the same extent as provided by said Codes for other ministers and congregations.

2. No such minister shall be entitled to claim and receive an authenticated register until he shall have deposited with the Prothonotary of the Superior Court of the district wherein he shall be exercising his ministry in this Province, a certificate signed by the chief officer of the Salvation Army for the Province of Quebec to the effect that he is an ordained minister in good standing of the rank of "staff officer", and that he has been duly appointed to the charge of one or more congregations of the said Army.

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

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An Act respecting The Grande Ligne Mission.

[Assented to 5th March, 1915]

WHEREAS The Grande Ligne Mission has by its petition represented that its charter should be amended so as to enlarge the scope of the work of the mission; and it is expedient to grant 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:

1. Section 3 of the act 18 Victoria, chapter 72, as replaced by the act 51-52 Victoria, chapter 59, section 2, is again replaced by the following:

3. The affairs of the said corporation shall be managed by a board of directors, each of whom shall be a member in good standing of a regularly organized Baptist