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An Act to incorporate The T. H. VanDyke estate

[Assented to 5th March, 1915]

Preamble.

WHEREAS Dean S. Currier, banker, of Colebrook, N. H., U. S. A.; George H. VanDyke, lumberman; Claude B. VanDyke, lumberman; Jennie E. VanDyke, spinster; all three of West Stewartstown, N. H., U. S. A., and the said Dean S. Currier, the said George H. VanDyke and Dame Mabel VanDyke, widow of the late T. H. VanDyke, all three in their quality of trustees to the shares of Byron Stewart VanDyke and Thomas H. VanDyke, Jr., have by their petition represented:

That Thomas H. VanDyke, in his lifetime of East Hereford, in the Province of Quebec, departed this life at Montreal the 13th June, 1914;

That the last will of the said decedent was executed before witnesses, and the same has been duly probated and now forms part of the records of the Superior Court for the district of St. Francis;

That by his said will the decedent instituted his five children as universal legatees; of these, three are of age, namely: George H. VanDyke, Claude B. VanDyke, and Jennie E. VanDyke, and two are minors: Byron Stewart VanDyke and Thomas H. VanDyke, Jr., and for the shares of the two minor children the testator in his said will named trustees, to wit, Dean S. Currier, George H. VanDyke and the testator's widow Dame Mabel VanDyke;

That the said T. H. VanDyke died unexpectedly, and when all his affairs were in full operation;

That it would be greatly detrimental to the legatees if the said estate were now to stop operations, and be liquidated and partitioned; that in the interest of the legatees, the business should be continued, and to permit the same to be done to the best advantage, the legatees should be incorporated into a joint stock company;

That the decedent intended that the business should be continued as usual, as witness his appointment of trustees for the shares of the minor children;

That the said estate is solvent, and the incorporation of your petitioners would not affect anyone but the legatees;

That the petitioners esqualité have paid as a succession tax the sum of twelve thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars to the Honourable Provincial Treasurer, and also the sums due to the particular legatees; and

Whereas the petitioners have prayed that in virtue of their above qualities the petitioners be incorporated into a joint stock company under the name of "The T. H. VanDyke Estate;"

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. George H. VanDyke, Claude B. VanDyke, Jennie T. H. Van E. VanDyke and D. S. Currier, George H. VanDyke and ^{T. H. Van Dyke estate incorporated.} Dame Mabel VanDyke in their quality of trustees to the shares of Byron Stewart VanDyke and Thomas H. VanDyke, Jr., are constituted into a joint stock company under the name of "The T. H. VanDyke Estate."

2. The said corporation shall, on the coming into force of this act, become seized of all the property and rights ^{Corporation seized of certain property.} of the said estate, and become liable and subject to all its obligations and duties in the same manner as if the said corporation was itself the sole universal legatee of the late Thomas H. VanDyke.

3. The capital stock of the said corporation shall be ^{Capital stock.} (\$250,000) two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, consisting of (2500) two thousand five hundred shares of (\$100) one hundred dollars each. Each of the said George H. VanDyke, Claude B. VanDyke and Jennie E. VanDyke shall, on the coming into force of this act, become vested ^{Shareholders.} with five hundred shares in the said company to represent his or her share in the said estate, and the said Dean S. Currier, George H. VanDyke and Dame Mabel VanDyke in their quality of trustees, as aforesaid, shall likewise become vested with one thousand shares in the same to represent the shares of the two minors. As soon as each minor shall attain the age of majority, he shall become owner in his own name of the five hundred shares held for him up to that time in the name of his trustees, and shall become subrogated for his shares in the rights of the trustees.

4. The head office of the said company shall be at the ^{Head office.} city of Quebec, but the corporation may by by-law fix the head office elsewhere.

5. The board of directors shall consist of four directors, ^{Board of directors.} but the company may by by-law increase the number to

five. A trustee by reason of his holding such office shall be eligible for election as a director.

Provisional
directors.

6. The first or provisional directors shall be Dean S. Currier, George H. VanDyke, Claude B. VanDyke and Jennie E. VanDyke.

Coming into
force.

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

CHAP. 153

An Act to confirm the title to the immoveable known as lots Nos. 268 and 275 and parts of 267 and 274 of the cadastre of the parish of Longueuil.

[Assented to 5th March, 1915]

Preamble.

WHEREAS Maxwell Goldstein, of the city of Montreal, King's Counsel, in his quality of curator to Harrison Stephens, interdict, of St. Lambert, and Lawrence de K. Stephens, advocate, of the said city of Montreal, in his quality of curator to the substitution of which the said Harrison Stephens is the institute, have by their petition represented:

That by deed of sale passed at Montreal before Henri Baby, Notary, on the 4th of September, 1914, they sold to the Honourable George A. Simard, of the city of Montreal, member of the Legislative Council of the Province of Quebec, upon the terms and the conditions therein set forth:

That certain farm or tract of land situate above St. Lambert, in the parish of Longueuil, in the said county of Chambly; bounded in front by the river St. Lawrence, in rear by Lapinière road, on the northeasterly side by the property of Antoine Daigneau, or representatives, and on the southwesterly side by the property of Pierre Ignace Roy, or representatives, with a one-story stone dwelling house, two wooden cottages and other outbuildings thereon erected, the whole now known as lots numbers 268 and 275 and the southwesterly part of lots numbers 267 and 274 on the official plan and book of reference for the said parish of Longueuil and containing from one hundred and fifty to one hundred and sixty arpents, more or less, without warranty as to measurements;

That the said Honourable George A. Simard, although the said sale was authorized by judgment rendered by the