

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

**1.** Notwithstanding anything contained in the last will and testament of the late Charles Eleazar Levey, in his lifetime of the city of Quebec, passed before William Darling Campbell and his colleague, notaries public, on the 5th day of October, 1877, the executors, administrators and trustees for the time being vested with the seizin and possession of the moveable and immoveable property of the said estate, and their successors, are authorized in their discretion to invest the monies belonging to the said estate, and forming part of the capital thereof, in municipal bonds and stocks issued by any municipality in Canada, or in stock or bonds issued by any of the Provinces of Canada.

Authoriza-  
tion to invest  
capital in  
certain way.

**2.** The purchases of bonds and debentures issued by municipalities, or debentures of any school corporation, in Canada, heretofore made by the said executors, administrators and trustees, are declared to be legal and binding upon the beneficiaries under the said will, and are ratified and confirmed to all intents and purposes.

Former in-  
vestments  
ratified.

**3.** Nothing herein contained shall be construed as limiting the powers of the said executors, administrators and trustees to invest the capital monies belonging to the estate in any manner provided by the said will or by law.

Act not  
limitative in  
effect.

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

Coming into  
force.

## C H A P . 1 6 4

An Act respecting the estate of the late J. H. Wilson, and to amend the act 9 Edward VII, chapter 166.

[Assented to 5th March, 1915]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS William Olier Wilson, merchant; Elvina *alias* Albani Wilson, spinster; Joseph Henry Wilson, clerk; Henriette Wilson, widow of the late Donatien Roland; Hortense Wilson, widow of the late Adolphe Brosseau; Blanche Wilson, wife of Emile Globensky, gentleman, and the latter for the purpose of authorizing his wife; and May Adele *alias* Mamie Wilson, wife of Arthur Benoit, civic employee, and the latter for the purpose of authorizing his wife, all of the city of Montreal, with the exception of

the said Joseph Henry Wilson who resides at Worcester, and Mr. and Mrs. Globensky, who reside at Ocean Park, California, in the United States of America, with the consent of Wilfrid Meloche, accountant, of the said city of Montreal, and of the said William Olier Wilson and Elvina *alias* Albani Wilson, in their capacity of testamentary executors of the late John Henry Wilson, in his lifetime hardware merchant, of the said city of Montreal, have, by their petition, represented:

That the said William Olier Wilson and Elvina *alias* Albani Wilson, Joseph Henry Wilson, Hortense Wilson, Blanche Wilson, Henriette Wilson and May Adele *alias* Mamie Wilson are the seven children and legatees of the said late Joseph Henry Wilson, under the terms of the latter's will, made before N. Pérodeau and colleague, notaries, on the 25th January, 1900, by which will the said John Henry Wilson appointed as his testamentary executors as well as administrators of the property and affairs of his estate, the said Wilfrid Meloche, William Olier Wilson and Elvina *alias* Albani Wilson, with power to act beyond a year and a day, ordered that the partition of his property and of his estate should not be made nor take place, and that his legatees should not receive their share of his estate until after the liquidation of the affairs and property of his commercial firm, as hardware merchant in Montreal; that it was his express will that his estate should, through his testamentary executors, continue such firm, under the name of J. H. Wilson, for a period of fifteen years from the first of January following his death, and ordered that until the partition be made of his property between his universal legatees, his estate should pay them each, by roots, an annual rent of the sum of five hundred dollars, payable in monthly instalments and chargeable to the general expenses of his estate, willing, nevertheless, that such annual rent should be increased to six hundred dollars for each of his unmarried children;

That the said John Henry Wilson died on the 7th February, 1901, that his estate continued the business of his firm in Montreal, in accordance with the terms of his will, and that the date fixed for the liquidation of such firm will be the 1st January, 1917;

That, under the Quebec act 9 Edward VII, chapter 166, the rent payable by the testamentary executors of the said late J. H. Wilson to the universal legatees under the terms of his will, was increased by four hundred dollars;

That the prosperous state of the business of the said firm allows the testamentary executors to again increase by six hundred dollars to each child or legatee of the said

late John Henry Wilson, the annual rent payable to him or her until the partition of the property of the said estate under the terms of the will of the said late John Henry Wilson and of the act 9 Edward VII, chapter 166;

And whereas the testamentary executors of the said late John Henry Wilson are of opinion that such increase of the annual rent under the circumstances would be reasonable, and they have no objection thereto, and consider themselves justified in consenting to the payment of such increase;

And whereas it is expedient to grant such prayer;

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

9 Ed. VII,  
c. 166, s. 1,  
replaced.

Increase of  
annual rent.  
authorized.

1. Section 1 of the act 9 Edward VII, chapter 166, is replaced by the following:

"1. The said testamentary executors of the said late J. H. Wilson are authorized to increase by one thousand dollars per annum, from the 1st of January 1915—provided that the revenues of the succession, after payment of all expenses of administration, are sufficient to make such payment—the annual rent payable to the children of the said late J. H. Wilson, until the partition of his property, under the terms of his said will, made before N. Pérodeau and colleague, notaries, on the twenty-fifth of January, 1900."

Costs to be  
paid by  
estate.

2. The costs in connection with this act shall be paid out of the property of the estate.

Coming into  
force.

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

## CHAP. 165

An Act to ratify and confirm the will of the late Narcisse Taillon

[Assented to 5th March, 1915]

Preamble.

**WHEREAS** François Taillon, senior, burgess, of St. Guillaume d'Upton, has, by his petition, represented:

That Narcisse Taillon, in his lifetime burgess, of the village of St. Guillaume, in the district of Richelieu, died there on the 19th September, 1914;

That by his will made before Mr. L. D. Theod Vanasse