

C H A P. 159

An Act to incorporate The Congregation Shemerin Labeker.

[Assented to 19th February, 1914]

WHEREAS Ephraim Rosenfeldt, butcher; Isaac Boro-^{Preamble.}
doff, painter; Max Lichterman, tailor; Chuna Druckman, presser; Aaron Pervin, trader; Isaac Litovitch, blacksmith, and Isaac Goodhertz, tailor, all of the city and district of Montreal, have, by petition, represented that they are persons professing the Jewish religion, and have prayed to be incorporated as a religious congregation for the purpose of divine worship in the city of Montreal under the name of "The Congregation Shemerin Labeker;"

And whereas it is expedient to grant their prayer;

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

1. Ephraim Rosenfeldt, butcher; Isaac Borodoff, ^{Congregation incorporated.} painter; Max Lichterman, tailor; Chuna Druckman, presser; Aaron Pervin, trader; Isaac Litovitch, blacksmith, and Isaac Goodhertz, tailor, all of the city and district of Montreal, and all other persons who now are or may hereafter become members of the said congregation, are hereby constituted a corporation under the name of "The Name. Congregation Shemerin Labeker".

2. All property, moveable and immoveable, now pos-^{Vesting of} sessed and held in trust for the said congregation shall ^{property.} be and is transferred to and vested in the said corporation.

3. The said corporation may at all times acquire, sell ^{Power to} lease, exchange, hypothecate, and alienate its immoveable ^{deal with} property, or any part thereof, and acquire in its place ^{immoveable} and stead other immoveable property, and the said corporation shall have the power to make, draw, accept, endorse and transfer bills of exchange, promissory notes, cheques, bonds, and other negotiable documents and instruments under the signature of its officers and others in its corporate name as shall be determined by the by-laws ^{Moveables.} of the said corporation.

4. The said corporation may have, hold, possess and ^{Additional} erect, and may acquire by purchase, gift, will, or otherwise, ^{powers.} any immoveable property in and near the city of Montreal that may be required for a synagogue or place of worship,

Immove-
able property
limited.

or for a house for the residence of the rabbi or officiating minister, or for any other purpose of the congregation, or for a cemetery or burying ground outside of the limits of the city of Montreal; provided always that the use of any land for a cemetery shall be subject to the laws with respect to cemeteries; and provided further that the immoveable property held by the said corporation shall not exceed on the whole the quantity of ten arpents in superficial extent, and the annual value or revenue thereof shall not exceed the sum of twenty thousand dollars.

Exception.

5. In the event of the said corporation receiving by gift, or will, an 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 said corporation shall be bound, within ten years from the date of its entering into peaceable possession of the said gift or legacy, to sell and dispose of the immoveable property, or part of it, or some other of its immoveable property, in such manner that the immoveable property of the said corporation shall not exceed in superficial extent the quantity of ten arpents, nor in annual value the sum of twenty thousand dollars.

Registers of
civil status.

6. The said congregation shall keep registers of acts of civil status and may appoint, from time to time, a rabbi or officiating minister and may remove him and appoint another or others in his place, and the rabbi or officiating minister of the said congregation is hereby authorized and empowered to keep registers for acts of civil status in the English or French language, and to exercise all other powers appertaining to ministers of religious congregations.

Power to
make
by-laws.

7. The said corporation is authorized to make by-laws for its internal government and for the government and discipline of its members, to amend or repeal the said by-laws or any part of them as may be expedient, provided always that none of such by-laws be inconsistent with this act or with the laws of this Province.

Municipal
by-laws and
health laws
to apply.

8. Nothing in this act shall prevent municipal laws or by-laws, or the laws respecting health from applying to this corporation.

To transmit
statement
when re-
quired.

9. The said corporation shall be obliged to furnish to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council a statement of its moveable and immoveable property whenever required so to do.

10. The act of the Province of Lower Canada 9-10 Geo. IV, George IV, chapter 75, shall not apply to the members^{ch. 75, not to apply.} and officiating minister of the said congregation.

11. This act shall come into force on the day of its^{Coming into force.} sanction.

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An Act to incorporate "The Joint Board of the Theological Colleges affiliated with McGill University".

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WHEREAS the voluntary association known as "The Joint Board of the Theological Colleges affiliated with McGill University" and "The Board of Co-operation of the Theological Colleges affiliated with McGill University" have by their petition represented as follows : Preamble.

That the theological colleges affiliated with McGill University have found it advantageous to co-operate for the training of students for the Christian ministry, and have actually so co-operated for some time with success; that in consequence, considerable sums of money have been subscribed by friends of the movement for the purpose of furnishing means and equipment; that a temporary joint board of managers (to wit the petitioners) representing each of the colleges concerned, has been in existence for some time, engaged in organizing the work of this co-operation; said joint board being composed as follows;

The Reverend Principal Hill, D. D., Reverend Hugh Pedley, D. D., Charles Gurd, Esq., Alexander M. Murphy, Esq., William D. Lighthall, Esq., K. C., Thomas B. Macaulay, Esq., all representing the Congregational College of Canada; the Reverend Principal Rexford, D. D., Reverend Allan P. Shatford, M. A., George E. Drummond, Esq., George G. Foster, Esq., K. C., Lieut. Col. Carson, Lansing Lewis, Esq., D. C. L., all representing the Montreal Diocesan Theological College; the Reverend Principal Scrimger, D. D., Reverend R. Bruce Taylor, D. D., David Morrice, Esq., John W. Ross, Esq., William M. Birks, Esq., William Yuile, Esq., all representing the Presbyterian Theological College; the Reverend Principal Smythe, D. D., Reverend W. R. Young, D. D., George F. Johnston, Esq., Charles C. Holland, Esq., William Hanson, Esq., J. W. McConnell, Esq., all representing the Wesleyan Theological College; the said persons being also the board of governors of the said voluntary