

sent session of the Legislature, an amendment to the Model City bill to have the present by-law declared valid and binding for the said Model City, and the company shall pay the cost of such legislation and the expenses entailed by it.

(Signed) URGELE ST-AUBIN, *Mayor*.

“ J. A. THÉORET, *Sec.-Treasurer*.

True copy of the original of these presents remaining in the archives of the parish of Saint-Laurent, in the county of Jacques Cartier, the present copy being delivered in the town of Saint-Laurent, county of Jacques-Cartier, this twenty-sixth day of the month of November in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

J. A. THÉORET,
Sec.-Treasurer.

CHAP. 76

An Act to amend the charter of the village of Sault-au-Récollet.

[Assented to 21st December, 1912]

WHEREAS the corporation of the village of Sault-au-Récollet has represented, that its charter, the act 1 George V, (2nd session), chapter 73, does not meet all the requirements of the said municipality, and especially that it is important to grant it fuller powers, and, among others, the power to contract a loan for the purpose of completing its sewerage system, macadamizing the streets and making permanent sidewalks; Preamble.

And whereas doubts have arisen as to the validity of certain contracts relating to the acquiring of an aqueduct and of lands required for municipal purposes, more particularly because the purchase of this aqueduct has been made with moneys destined for the construction of such aqueduct, and in consequence of an agreement between the interested parties during the course of a law-suit between them, and because the purchase of the said lands was made and resolved upon without providing for the raising of the necessary funds to pay the purchase price;

And whereas it is expedient to ratify the said contracts for the above mentioned purposes, and to grant the prayer to that effect.

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

1 Geo. V, (1911), c. 73, s. 1, replaced. **1.** Section 1 of the act 1 George V, (2nd session), chapter 73, is replaced by the following:

Law applicable to filtering system, &c.

"1. Articles 495, 496, 497, 498, 977 and 978 of the Municipal Code shall not apply to the debts or loans to be effected for establishing, making, maintaining, and improving the system of water-works to be established, nor to the sewers, the filtering system, sidewalks, macadamizing or paving of streets to be established by the corporation within the limits of the municipality."

Id., s. 2a, added.

2. The following section is inserted in the act 1 George V, (2nd session,) chapter 73, after section 2:

Special loan.

"2a. To complete the construction of its sewers and of the filtering system added to it, pay the debts, accounts and temporary loans effected, due and contracted in the matter, to establish and maintain permanent sidewalks and macadamize and pave the streets within the limits of the municipality, the corporation is authorized to borrow, at the rate of interest and conditions established in the foregoing section, a further sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

When new obligations, &c., to be made.

Nevertheless no new obligation, contract or by-law relating to the use of any part of such sum for the building of permanent sidewalks or the paving or macadamizing of public roads, shall be made, signed or entered into before the tenth day of February next, provided however, that those already entered into, made and promulgated before the 25th, day of November 1912 shall remain in force and be executed according to their present form and tenour."

Id., s. 3a added.

3. The following section is inserted in the act 1 George V, (2nd session), chapter 73, after section 3.

Temporary loans.

"3a. Notwithstanding the provisions of the Municipal Code the council may, pending the collection of the general and special taxes and of the water-rate, on mere resolution and without being bound to obtain the approval of the electors who are proprietors or the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, contract temporary loans, from time to time, by means of notes, for a period not exceeding the then current fiscal year, and on such terms and conditions as the council may deem expedient, to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars."

Certain contracts ratified.

4. The contract for the acquisition of a waterworks system between the corporation of the village of Sault-au-Récollet and Gustave Des Trois-Maisons, dated the 2nd April, 1912, before

Camille Paquet, notary, the contract before C. Perrault, notary, between the corporation of the village of Sault-au-Récollet and A. Gohier, dated the 4th January, 1912. for the purchase of a lot of land to be used for a filtering system, and also a contract before the same notary, dated the 30th October, 1912, between the said corporation and N. Séguin relating to the purchase of another lot of land acquired for the use of the corporation, shall form part of this act, and are hereby ratified, confirmed and declared legal, valid and binding for the parties.

5. If the said N. Séguin consents to be paid the purchase price in advance, the corporation is authorized to pay him the said price less a discount equal to the legal interest which would run on said price for the balance of the term granted for such payment, and for this purpose it is authorized to borrow the necessary amount for such payment, in the manner provided in section 2 of the act 1 George V (2nd session), chapter 73. Payment of certain price of sale, &c.,

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

C H A P. 77

An Act to incorporate the municipality of the village of Giffard.
in the county of Quebec.

[Assented to 21st December, 1912]

WHEREAS the Honorable Charles Eugene Dubord, legislative councillor; Saluste Roy, physician; L. Z. Joncas, contractor; Ulric Bélanger, physician; Ovide Vachon, plumber; O. M. Parent, civil employee; Médéric Parent, civil employee; Napoléon Lespérance, farmer; Arthur Maheux, mason; Fabien Goulet, miller; David Drouin, annuitant; Philéas Parent, merchant; Israël Montreuil, merchant; William Roy, farmer; Philippe Barthélemi Parent farmer; Georges Bélanger, foreman; Léonidas Poulin, veterinary surgeon and Aimé Gagnon, culler, all ratepayers, proprietors and municipal electors domiciled in the territory hereinafter described forming part of the parish of Beauport, have by their petition represented: Preamble.

That the territory hereinafter described and bounded, contains in one portion at least forty inhabited houses within an area not exceeding sixty arpents;

That the situation and interests of the inhabitants of such territory render its erection into a village municipality desirable;

That your petitioners and other municipal electors and proprietors inhabiting the said territory, have applied to the