

chapter 72, the Laing Packing and Provision Company was given authority to exercise certain rights within the limits of the city of Montreal;

And whereas by act of this legislature 9 Edward VII, chapter 127, the name of the company was changed to The Laing Packing and Provision Company, Limited;

And whereas The Laing Packing and Provision Company, Limited, by its petition prays to be authorized to transfer the said rights to Matthews-Laing, Limited;

And whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of 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. The Laing Packing and Provision Company, Limited, is hereby authorized to make over and transfer to Matthews-Laing, Limited, the rights and franchises conferred upon it by the act, 1 Edward VII, chapter 72. Transfer of certain rights, &c.

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

### CHAP. 113

An Act to incorporate the University Settlement of Montreal.

[Assented to 3rd April, 1912.]

**W**HEREAS James A. Dale, professor at McGill University; Preamble.  
 Mistress Bella McIntosh, wife duly authorized of Douglas McIntosh, professor at McGill University; Milton L. Hersey, Doctor of Science and Official Analyst; Mistress Mary A. McDonald, wife duly authorized of George C. McDonald, chartered accountant; Gordon Sproule, demonstrator; E. Russell Paterson, secretary; all of the city and district of Montreal, have, by their petition, prayed for the incorporation of a company known under the name of "The University Settlement of Montreal" for philanthropic, educational and other similar purposes, and particularly to provide clubs and classes for the instruction and general betterment of children, young people and adults in the neighbourhood; to provide a centre for social and philanthropic activities and for the study of the problems of town life, and in connection therewith to establish and maintain a place of residence to bring persons of various social environments into closer relations for their common benefit; to promote and assist movements

for the general good in domestic, educational and civic relations especially in all matters affecting the welfare of the young and for other benevolent purposes, with all appropriate powers to hold and enjoy real estate and administer its property and affairs, and carry out the objects of its incorporation.

And whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of 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:

Persons in-  
corporated.  
Name, &c.

**1.** The petitioners hereinabove named and such persons as may hereafter become members of such corporation are hereby constituted a corporation under the name of "The University Settlement, of Montreal," for the following purposes, to wit:—for philanthropic, educational and other similar purposes, and particularly to provide clubs and classes for the instruction and general betterment of children, young people and adults in the neighbourhood; to provide a centre for social and philanthropic activities and for the study of the problems of town life, and in connection therewith, to establish and maintain a place of residence to bring persons of various social environments into closer relations for their common benefits; to promote and assist movements for the general good in domestic, educational, and civic relations, especially in all matters affecting the welfare of the young, and for other benevolent purposes, with all appropriate powers to hold and enjoy real estate and administer its property and affairs and carry out the objects of its incorporation.

Head office.

**2.** The head office of the corporation shall be in the city of Montreal.

Powers of  
association.

**3.** Under such name the corporation shall have perpetual succession and may have a common seal, with power to change the same if they think proper, and may, under the same name, contract, sue and be sued and may acquire by any legal title, hold, possess, and enjoy, to and for the use of such corporation, any moveable or immoveable property, which may be sold, exchanged, given or bequeathed to the said corporation, and may sell, convey, let or lease the same, and hypothecate its immoveables provided always that such real estate shall not exceed two hundred thousand dollars in value.

Officers.

**4.** The officers of the said corporation shall be a president, vice-president, treasurer, and a secretary.

Board of  
directors.

The officers, with such other members, as may be chosen for that purpose, in accordance with the by-laws, shall form the board of directors of the said corporation.

**5.** The said corporation shall have powers to make by-laws By-laws. not inconsistent with the laws of this Province or of the Dominion, for the administration and improvement of its property and affairs; for the investment of its moneys; for acquiring or disposing of its property; for the management of the institution and its internal government; for the admission, classification, and expulsion of its members, and for the subscriptions to be paid by them; for the establishment of a board of directors, and such boards of management as may be required and the number, powers and duties of its directors, officers, and employees, as well as for their removal; and such by-laws, rules and regulations at its pleasure to modify, amend, suspend, repeal or replace.

**6.** The incorporators shall be the first or provisional directors Provisional directors. of the corporation with power to adopt by-laws and generally to organize the corporation for the enjoyment of its corporate powers and shall remain in office until replaced under the said by-laws.

**7.** The corporation may affiliate with any association or corporation Affiliation with other societies. having the same or similar objects.

**8.** The members shall not be personally liable for the debts Non liability of members. or obligations of the corporation.

**9.** The said corporation shall, when thereunto required Statement to L. G. in C. by the Provincial Secretary, transmit to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, a statement of its immoveable property, a certified copy of its rules and by-laws, and the names of its officers.

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

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## CHAP. 114

An Act to amend the charter of *La Société St-Jean-Baptiste de la cité de Québec*.

[Assented to 3rd April, 1912.]

**W**HÉREAS, *La Société St-Jean-Baptiste de la cité de Québec*, Preamble. has, by its petition represented that it is desirable that its charter, the act 12 Victoria, chapter 148, amended by the act 13-14 Victoria, chapter 126, be further amended and it is expedient to grant its prayer;