

falls due, may be annexed to each bond, obligation or debenture.

Signatures on coupons. The signatures of the mayor and clerk may be lithographed or printed."

Delivery of coupons upon payment. At the time of payment, the coupons shall be handed to the treasurer; and the possession, by such officer, of any coupon, shall be *prima facie* evidence that the half-yearly interest specified therein has been paid."

Tax on poles, &c. **32.** The council may, by by-law, levy upon every person, firm or company a special yearly tax not exceeding twenty-five cents for every wooden or metal pole belonging to him or it, erected or to be erected in the streets of the town for telegraph or telephone lines, or for the transmission of electricity for light or motive power.

Borrowing on notes, &c. **33.** Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the municipal council of the town may, by by-law, contract one or more loans, on notes, for general municipal purposes, provided that the total of such loan or loans shall at no time exceed ten thousand dollars, without it being necessary to submit the said by-law to the electors who are proprietors.

Id., 5789 not to apply. **34.** Article 5789 of the Revised Statutes, 1909 shall not apply to the municipality.

Coming into force, &c. **35.** This act shall come into force on the 30th June, 1911, but the preliminary proceedings for the first election shall be had in virtue thereof.

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An act to incorporate the town of Greenfield Park

[Assented to 24th March, 1911]

Preamble. **W**HEREAS the rate-payers of the territory comprised in cadastral lots Nos. 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, and 244, of the parish of Longueuil have by a large majority in number and value represented that, in consequence of the rapid increase of population within the said territory being a suburb of the city of Montreal and in consequence of the necessity for local improvements similar to those of other suburbs of Montreal, it is necessary that the said territory be erected into a separate municipality and they have prayed that the general principles

of the Cities and Towns' Act be applied to the said municipality and also that they be granted several powers similar to those of other suburbs of Montreal which are not contained in said act;

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 said territory is hereby detached from the parish of Longueuil and erected into a separate municipality under the name of " The town of Greenfield Park ", comprised within the line described as follows :

A line beginning at the western corner of cadastral lot No. 244 on the official plan and book of reference for the parish of Longueuil, where the boundary line between said lot No. 244 and lot No. 245 meets the public road called " Le Chemin Lapinière " ; thence along the south-westerly line of the said public road until it meets the boundary line between the farm of Pierre Lamarre, being the south east part of lot No. 225, and the remainder of the lot No. 225 belonging to Michael Minogue; thence in a north-easterly direction along the said boundary line to where it meets the public road, called " Le chemin de la Côte Noire " ; thence in a north-westerly direction along the north-easterly side of the last mentioned road until it meets the boundary line between cadastral lots Nos. 233 and 228; thence following said line to where it meets the boundary line between lots 233 and 232; thence along said last mentioned line to where it meets the road called " Le Chemin La Marre " ; thence along the middle of said road to where it meets the boundary line between lots 235 and 236; thence along said line until it meets the said " Chemin de la Côte Noire " ; thence along the north side of said road in a north-westerly direction to where it meets the said boundary line between cadastral lots Nos. 244 and 245 of said parish; thence along said boundary line to the point of beginning at the said western corner of lot No. 244.

2. The inhabitants and ratepayers of said municipality are constituted a town corporation under the name of " The town of Greenfield Park " for municipal and school purposes.

3. All *procès-verbaux*, assessment rolls, title deeds, accounts, dues, by-laws, orders, lists, rolls, plans, resolutions, ordinances, enactments, or municipal acts whatever, passed by or consented to by the council of the parish of Longueuil, before the coming into force of this act, are, in so far as the same may affect the

Territory of town.

Persons incorporated. Name.

By-laws, &c., to remain in force.

said territory or its inhabitants and in so far as the same are not incompatible with the present act, declared valid and shall continue to have full force and effect until repealed, amended, set aside or accomplished by the council of the town of Greenfield Park.

Obligations,
&c., not af-
fected.

4. All bonds, notes, obligations, covenants, undertakings, and warranties whatsoever, lawfully subscribed, issued, done and contracted by the said council of the parish of Longueuil, until the coming into force of this act, shall, in so far as they have relation to the said territory hereby incorporated and the inhabitants thereof, continue to have their lawful effect.

Law to ap-
ply.

5. The provisions of the Revised Statutes, 1909, articles 5256 to 5884 inclusive, and amendments thereto, shall apply to the corporation and to the municipality of the town of Greenfield Park except as hereinafter stated.

One ward.

6. The municipality shall consist of one ward until divided by the council.

First sitting
of council,
&c.

The council shall hold its first session wherever the majority deems expedient. It shall consist of six aldermen and a mayor.

Presiding of-
ficer first
election, &c.

7. The first election shall take place on the first juridical day of May, 1911, and the presiding officer shall be Edmond Desaulniers, Esq., N.P., of the town of St. Lambert, or in his absence a person to be named by him.

R.S.Q., 5363,
am. for town.

8. Subsection 8 of article 5363 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, is replaced for the town by the following:

Persons dis-
qualified
from voting.

“**8.** Whosoever has no residence or principal place of business in the municipality for at least twelve months previous to the election or nomination; but during the first two years after the incorporation of the town it shall be sufficient to be proprietor or co-proprietor of immoveables to a sufficient value.”

Exception.

Id., 5745, am.
for town.

9. The following paragraph is added after article 5745 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, for the town:

Provisions as
to cost of im-
provements.

“ In the event of the imposition of a special tax for any improvement, the council may, by by-law or resolution, if it deems expedient, provide for the construction, out of the general funds of the municipality, of the portion of such improvement situate in or upon the portion of any street, lane, alley, square, or public place intersected by any other street, lane, alley, square, or public place or which would otherwise fall upon property exempt from taxation ”.

10. The following paragraphs are added after paragraph Id., 5641, am. 32 of article 5641 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, for the town : for town.

“33. Establish building lines on lots abutting on any Building street, road, avenue, highway, alley, park, or lane within the limits of the municipality, between which lines and such street, road, avenue, highway, alley, park or lane, no building or part of building or dependency shall be established or built ; and change the name of any street, road, avenue, highway, alley, park, or lane within the limits of the municipality. lines, &c.

“34. When a proprietor transfers gratuitously to the town a lot destined for a street across his property the remainder of the property facing upon the new street may, by resolution of the council, be exempted wholly or in part from the assessments necessitated by the opening of such street, provided that the portion so exempted does not exceed one hundred and fifteen feet in depth. Exemption from taxation.

11. If an avenue or road not belonging to the municipality but situated within the limits of the said town, opened to the public, and used as such and upon which building lots have been sold, requires repairs, the council may, upon a petition of one or more of the purchasers of such lots, compel the proprietor or proprietors of the said road or avenue to effect such repairs, and, if they be not effected within the delay prescribed by the council, the latter may have repairs made at the cost of the said proprietor or proprietors, and recover the costs thereof from the latter, unless such proprietor or proprietors give the said road or avenue to the municipality. Repairing of private roads, &c.

12. Article 5450 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, is replaced, Id., 5450, replaced for town by the following :

“**5450.** The poll shall be opened at the hour of nine of the clock in the forenoon and kept open until nine of the clock in the evening of the same day, and each deputy returning-officer shall, during that time, in the polling station assigned to him, receive, in the manner hereinafter prescribed, the votes of the electors duly qualified to vote at such polling station. Hours of polling, &c.

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