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Certain pros- **21.** Prospecting licenses in force at the time of the coming
 pecting li- into force of this act, shall not be affected thereby, and may be
 censes not renewed until the first day of January, 1910, when they shall
 affected, &c. cease to have effect.

What provi- All provisions respecting prospecting licenses, repealed by
 sions to this act, shall, until the first day of January, 1910, apply to
 apply to such licenses in force when this act comes into force, and to
 them. those renewed in virtue of this article.

Coming **22.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.
 into force.

CHAP. 28

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes respecting Agricultural Societies and Farmers' Clubs

[Assented to 27th April, 1909]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows :

R.S.Q., 1667, **1.** Article 1667 of the Revised Statutes is amended by
 amended. replacing the words " fifty-thousand ", in the first line of the second paragraph by the words : " fifty-five thousand."

Id., 1761, **2.** Article 1671 of the Revised Statutes, as replaced by the
 amended. act 56 Victoria, chapter 20, section 8, is amended by replacing the words " fifty thousand ", in the second line, by the words : " fifty-five thousand."

Id., 1675*ii*, **3.** Article 1675*ii* of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by the
 amended. act 56 Victoria, chapter 20, section 10, amended by the act

57 Victoria, chapter 19, section 1, and replaced by the act 61 Victoria, chapter 17, section 4, is amended :

a. By replacing the words “ fifty thousand ”, in the second and third lines, by the words : “ fifty-five thousand.”

b. By inserting after the words “ agricultural societies ”, in the fourth line, the words : “ or from any other appropriation voted therefor.”

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

C H A P . 29

An Act to amend the law respecting colonization societies in certain parts of the Province

[Assented to 7th May, 1909]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. Article 1734 of the Revised Statutes is amended :

R.S.Q., 1734,
amended.

a. By replacing the words “ a township or part of a township ”, in the fifth and sixth lines of the first paragraph, by the words : “ a township or townships or a part or parts of a township or townships ” ;

b. By replacing the words “ The lots of such township or such part of a township ”, in the first line of the second paragraph, by the words : “ The lots of such township or townships or part or parts of such township or townships.”

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

C H A P . 30

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes respecting homesteads

[Assented to 29th May, 1909]

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. Article 1743 of the Revised Statutes, as replaced by the R.S.Q., 1743, act 60 Victoria, chapter 27, section 1, is again replaced by the following : replaced.