

Id., s. 24,
par. 3, re-
pealed.

3. Paragraph 3 of section 24 of the said act is repealed.

Id., s. 25,
amended.

4. Section 25 of the said act is amended by adding thereto the following clause :

Swivel search
light not to
be carried.

“ No motor vehicle shall carry what is known to the trade as a swivel search light.”

Id., s. 27,
replaced.
Limit of
speed of mo-
tor vehicles.

5. Section 27 of the said act is replaced by the following :

“ **27.** No motor vehicle shall be driven on a public highway at a rate of speed greater than is reasonable and proper, having regard to the traffic and use of the highway, or so as to endanger the life or limb of any person, or the safety of any property ; nor in any event at a speed greater than nine miles an hour, within the limits of a city, town or village, or on any public highway where the territory contiguous thereto is closely built up, and of fifteen miles an hour in any other locality.”

Id., ss. add-
ed ;

6. The following sections are added after section 34 of the said Act :

Intoxicated
persons not
to drive.
Racing, &c.,
on streets,
&c., forbid-
den.

“ **34a.** No intoxicated person shall drive a motor vehicle.

Id., s. 37,
amended.

“ **34b.** No person shall drive a motor vehicle upon any public street, road or highway in a race or on a bet or wager.”

7. Section 37 of the said Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the words : “ or of a municipal council or corporation.”

Coming into
force.

8. This Act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

CHAP. 17

An Act to amend the law respecting public lands

[Assented to 28th February, 1907]

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

R. S. Q.,
1343b, amend-
ed.

1. The last paragraph of article 1343b of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by the act 4 Edward VII, chapter 13, section 21, and amended by the act 5 Edward VII, chapter 16, section 9, is replaced by the following :

“Such permit may be granted for territories under timber license, but only for lots whereon there is no appreciable quantity of merchantable timber. The wood shall not be thereafter cut under such permit except at the place or places designated by the Minister of Lands and Forests. Farmers, in the discretion of the Minister, and settlers, shall alone have a right to this permit.”

Territories in which permits may be granted, &c.

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

Coming into force.

CHAP. 18

An Act to amend the Quebec Mining Law

[Assented to 14th March, 1907]

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

- 1.** Article 1425 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by the R. S. Q., act 55-56 Victoria, chapter 20, section 1, and replaced by the 1425, replaced. act 1 Edward VII, chapter 13, section 1, is amended by adding the following paragraph thereto :

“If while one of the mines so abandoned is being worked, gold or silver is discovered in workable quantities, the proprietor working the same, may, within three months after being put in default so to do by the Department, obtain the grant thereof in preference to any other person, for the ordinary price of superior metal.”

Option to acquire mines where gold or silver found, &c.

- 2.** Article 1431 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by the R. S. Q., act 55-56 Victoria, chapter 20, section 1, is amended by adding the following paragraph thereto :

“It shall, nevertheless, be lawful for the Minister to sell to another person the mines of superior metals that may be found in the same lots, if the proprietors of mines of inferior metals refuse to avail themselves of their right, after having been put in default to do so.”

Superior metals when sold to other persons.

- 3.** Article 1436 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by the R. S. Q., act 55-56 Victoria, chapter 20, section 1, is replaced by the following :

1436, replaced.

“**1436.** Mining concessions shall comprise, in addition to the ordinary allowance of five per cent for highways :

Extent of mining concessions.