

of a document issued by a branch, it shall also bear the signature of the general superioress residing at the corporate seat of the community, or be confirmed by her by means of a separate document.

**Annual re-
turn to Gov-
ernment.**

8. The corporation shall, annually, transmit to the Lieutenant-Governor in council, a statement of the immoveables possessed by it under this act, as well as a copy of the rules and regulations of the community and the names of its officers, procurators and administrators.

**Coming into
force.**

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

CHAP. 99

An Act to incorporate *Les Pauvres Clarisses de Valleyfield*

[Assented to 9th March, 1906]

Preamble.

Whereas Dames Marie Louise Lemoyne, in religion Sister Marie Joseph de Jésus, Helene Desparois, in religion Sister Marie François des Cinq Plaies, Eugenie Piché, in religion Sister Marie de Jésus, Marie Hurtubise, in religion Sister Marie Saint Paul de Jésus, and Marie Barron, in religion Sister Marie Madeleine de Jésus, all of the city of Salaberry de Valleyfield, at present members of a community founded with the authorization of His Lordship the Bishop of Valleyfield, under the name of *Les Pauvres Clarisses de Valleyfield* have, by their petition, prayed to be incorporated under the name of *Les Pauvres Clarisses de Valleyfield*, for the purpose of devoting themselves in common amongst other objects to works of piety, mercy and charity, in accordance with the contemplative life which they lead, with power, for such purposes, to acquire moveable and immoveable property and generally to manage and administer their affairs under such corporate name;

And whereas it is expedient to incorporate them;

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.**

1. Dames Marie Louise Lemoyne, in religion Sister Marie Joseph de Jésus, Helene Desparois, in religion Sister Marie François des Cinq Plaies, Eugenie Piché, in religion Sister Marie de Jésus, Marie Hurtubise, in religion Sister Marie Saint Paul de Jésus, and Marie Barron, in religion Sister Marie Madeleine de Jésus, all of the city of Salaberry de Valleyfield, at present mem-

bers of the community called *Les Pauvres Clarisses de Valleyfield*, and all other persons who do now or who shall hereafter form part of the said community in accordance with its rules, statutes and by-laws, are incorporated under the name of "*Les Pauvres Clarisses de Valleyfield*." Name.

2. Under such name the corporation hereby constituted shall have perpetual succession and may: Corporate powers.

a. Have a common seal and modify the same at will;

b. Appear before the courts;

c. Acquire, possess, and accept by any legal title moveables and immoveables, which it may sell, alienate, hypothecate, assign, lease, convey, exchange or otherwise dispose of by any title whatsoever, provided always the value of the immoveables possessed by the corporation, for the purposes of revenue, shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars. Powers to acquire, &c., property.
Value of immoveables limited.

3. The corporation shall be governed by the rules of the community and it shall have power to make and pass rules and by-laws concerning the administration of its property, its direction and internal government, the election, number and powers of its officers and directresses, the admission and discharge of its members and generally all by-laws not contrary to law and relating to the purposes of the corporation. Government of corporation.

4. The corporate seat of the corporation shall be in the city of Salaberry de Valleyfield. Any other place in this Province may be chosen at any time by a by-law of the corporation. Corporate seat and change thereof.

No such by-law shall come into force until it has been published three times in the *Quebec Official Gazette*.

5. The corporation may appoint officers, procurators or administrators and define their powers; it may also appoint a procurator outside the community. Appointment of officers.

6. Three members of the corporation, to wit: the abdess, the assistant and the bursar shall constitute the council of the said corporation. Council of corporation.

7. The said council has all the rights and powers of the corporation as regards the making of rules and by-laws and the transaction of all the business of the corporation. Powers of council.

8. The signature of the members of the council shall suffice for all business matters and shall bind the corporation. Signature binding on corporation.

9. The members of the said council, who are incapable of acting owing to absence or other reasons, shall be replaced, in Replacing of members of council.

equal number, by members of the corporation with the same powers, in the manner provided by the by-laws.

Establishment, &c., of monasteries elsewhere in Province, &c.

10. The community may, at any place in this Province, for the purposes of its incorporation, establish and found monasteries which shall be governed according to the rules of the said community, and the latter may, by by-law to that effect, delegate to them all the powers, rights and privileges conferred on it by this act.

Establishment of vault, &c., for certain purposes.

11. The community may have or establish a vault or cemetery on the property of each of its monasteries for the purpose of depositing therein the mortal remains of its deceased members, provided it shall in this respect comply with the prescriptions of the laws and regulations governing such matters.

Return to Legislature.

12. The corporation shall, whenever required by the Lieutenant Governor in Council, send to each of the three branches of the Legislature of this Province a detailed statement of the immoveables held by it under this act, as well as of the amount of its revenues.

Application of revenues

13. The revenues of the corporation shall be employed solely for the purposes of the corporation.

Coming into force.

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

CHAP. 100

An Act to incorporate the *Congrégation des Servantes du Très Saint Sacrement*

[Assented to 9th March, 1906]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the religious ladies hereinafter mentioned called *Servantes du Très Saint Sacrement*, have, by their petition, represented:

That they have founded a house of their order in the town of Chicoutimi, in the diocese of Chicoutimi, in the Province of Quebec, for the purpose of devoting themselves in common to works of piety, mercy and charity in accordance with the contemplative life they lead;

That His Lordship, Monseigneur Michel Thomas Labrecque, bishop of Chicoutimi, has approved of their establishment in his diocese;

Whereas they have prayed to be incorporated, and it is expedient to grant their prayer;