

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 a 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;

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. Reverend Mother Marie Pauline du Saint Sacrement (*née* Louise Giboin) superioress; the Reverend Sisters Clémentine du Saint Sacrement (*née* Clémentine Dubois) assistant; Aimée de Jésus du Saint Sacrement (*née* Marie Plante) councillor and bursar; Léontine du Saint Sacrement (*née* Leontine Negrier); M. Laurence du Saint Sacrement (*née* Marie Empéreur); M. Clothilde du Saint Sacrement (*née* Clothilde Usureau); Beatrix de Jésus du Saint Sacrement (*née* Marie Masse); Marie Rose du Saint Sacrement (*née* Marie Giasson); Eve de Jésus du Saint Sacrement (*née* M. Louise Giasson); Rose de Jésus du Saint Sacrement (*née* Eugénie Gadbois); M. Anastasie du Saint Sacrement (*née* Marie Borel); Mathilde de Jésus du Saint Sacrement (*née* Georgette Rondeau) and the other members of their congregation, together with such persons as may, in accordance with their constitution and regulations, associate themselves with or succeed them, are incorporated under the name of the "*Congrégation des Servantes du Très Saint Sacrement.*" Persons incorporated.

2. The corporation shall have perpetual succession, and may have a common seal which it may change at will. Succession and seal.

3. The corporation may:

- a. Appear before the courts as any person may;
- b. Accept, acquire and possess moveable and immoveable property by any legal title, provided the total value of the immoveables owned by the congregation does not exceed the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, which shall be established by the valuation roll of the municipality or municipalities in which the immoveables shall be situated;
- c. Lease, hypothecate, sell, exchange, convey or otherwise alienate all its moveable and immoveable property by any title whatsoever;
- d. Make by-laws respecting its internal government, the administration and disposal of its property, and amend or repeal the same when necessary;
- e. Appoint officers, procurators and administrators, determine their number and powers and also appoint a procurator outside the congregation;
- f. In a word, exercise all the powers necessary for its purposes.

General corporate powers.

Corporate
seat, and
change there-
of.

4. The corporate seat of the corporation shall be in the town of Chicoutimi, in the county of Chicoutimi, but it may be removed to any other part of the Province by by-law adopted by the council of the corporation, after notice approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in council and published during one month in the *Quebec Official Gazette*.

Documents
binding upon
corporation.

5. The signatures of the superioress, the assistant and the bursar, constituting the council of the corporation or of any person authorized by a resolution of such council, shall suffice to bind the corporation.

Establish-
ment of
monasteries,
&c.

6. The corporation may found, establish and maintain novitiates, monasteries and branch establishments at any place in the Province; erect such buildings as may be suitable for its purposes, and in particular build a chapel to which the public may be admitted in every locality where it may so have an establishment; establish a cemetery on the property of each of its establishments for the purpose of depositing therein the mortal remains of its members, provided it complies with the laws, prescriptions and regulations enacted by civil authority in such matters.

Certain acts,
&c., ratified.

7. All acts performed by the said sisters since they have been established at Chicoutimi shall be as valid as if this act had been in force at the date when such acts were performed.

Certain
property
vested in
corporation.

All the moveable and immoveable property now owned by the said sisters shall be transferred to and vested in the corporation, especially lots numbers 375 and 388 of the official cadastre of the town of Chicoutimi, and lot number 374-2 of the last redivision of the said cadastre, acquired from F. X. Gosselin and his wife by the said superioress and assistant superioress, by deed dated the first of December, 1904, under number 14686 of the minutes of T. Z. Cloutier, notary.

Rights, &c.,
of corpo-
ration, &c.

The corporation shall have and exercise all the rights belonging to the community and shall be subject to all the obligations contracted by it.

Annual re-
turn to Gov-
ernment.

8. The corporation shall transmit, yearly, to the Lieutenant-Governor in council, a statement of the immoveables held 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.