

CHAP. 17

An Act to amend article 1675 of the Revised Statutes respecting Agricultural Societies

[Assented to 2nd June, 1904]

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

R. S., 1675,
amended.

1. Article 1675 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding thereto the following words : “ and may guarantee the payment of the capital and interest of any bonds of any such society or institute, and accept any security for the repayment of any payment made by it, in consequence thereof. Such guarantee shall not exceed five per cent. of the total amount of the valuation roll of the said municipality.”

Coming into
force.

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

CHAP. 18

An Act to amend the Education Act

[Assented to 2nd June, 1904]

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

62 V., c. 28,
art. 96,
amended.
When change
shall be
granted.

1. Article 96 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 28, is amended by adding thereto the following clause :

“ No change under this article shall be granted except upon the application of the majority of the proprietors of real estate comprised within the limits of the territory whereof the erection into a municipality, or the division, or the annexation to an existing municipality is prayed for.”

Id., 122,
amended.

2. Article 122 of the said act is amended by replacing the words : “ academies and girl's schools ” in the first line, by the words : “ and academies.”

Id., 129,
amended.

3. Article 129 of the said act is amended by replacing the words : “ or those for the building of any school house previously contracted for, or ” in the third, fourth and fifth lines, by the words : “ in virtue of article 253 or those”.

4. The last clause of article 132 of the said act is replaced ^{Id., 132,}
by the following : ^{amended.}

“ The trustees shall maintain, under their immediate con- ^{Duties as to}
trol, or subsidize a school of their own religious belief situated ^{schools.}
in the said township or parish.”

5. Article 133 of the said act is amended by replacing ^{Id., 133,}
the word : “ schools ” in the sixth line by the words : “ and ^{amended.}
maintaining schools of their religious belief ”.

6. Article 148 of the said act is amended by adding, after ^{Id., 148,}
the word : “ necessary ” in the second line, the words : “ to ^{amended.}
be of the age of majority”.

7. Article 253 of the said act is amended by adding, ^{Id., 253,}
after the first clause thereof, the following clause : ^{amended.}

“ The tax so imposed may be payable by annuities for a ^{Payment of}
term of years not to exceed five.” ^{tax.}

8. Article 331 of the said act is amended by replacing ^{Id., 331,}
the words : “ members of the school corporation or its ^{amended.}
officers,” in the tenth and eleventh lines, by the words : “ the
school corporation ”.

9. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction. ^{Coming into}
^{force.}

CHAP. 19

An Act to amend the law respecting the constitution of the
Superior Court

[Assented to 2nd June, 1904]

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

1. The first clause of article 2315 of the Revised Statutes, ^{R. S., 2315,}
as replaced by the act 59 Victoria, chapter 24, section 1, and ^{amended.}
by the act 62 Victoria, chapter 29, section 1, is again replaced
by the following :

“ **2315.** The Superior Court, which is a court of record, ^{Composition}
consists of thirty-five judges, that is to say : A chief-justice ^{of Superior}
and thirty-four puisné judges.” ^{Court.}