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An Act to authorize the trustees of the parish of St. George,
district of Beauce, to draw up a new act of assessment

[Assented to 23rd March, 1900]

WHEREAS the trustees of the parish of St. George, district Preamble.
of Beauce, have by their petition represented :

That they were elected trustees on the 16th October, 1892, and their election was confirmed according to law on the 27th of the same month, to carry out the canonical decree of His Eminence Cardinal Taschereau, archbishop of Quebec, dated the 14th September, 1892, permitting the construction of a new church and a new sacristy in stone in the said parish ;

That after their appointment the said trustees drew up an act of assessment which was homologated and confirmed according to law on the 30th March, 1894 ;

That, in the spring of the year 1896, unusual floods of the Chaudière river caused damages amounting to at least \$80,000 to the inhabitants of the said parish ;

That, in consequence of such disaster, the building of the said church and sacristy have been deferred until now ;

That, for the same reason, a great many of the buildings assessed have not been rebuilt, while many others have been built that have not been assessed ;

That, in consequence of these changes in the financial position of the freehold inhabitants of the said parish, it would not be equitable to levy the assessment homologated on the

30th March, 1894, and it is in the interest of the said parish to have the said act of assessment set aside and a new one drawn up ;

That the said act of assessment has not been put into force ;

Whereas the petitioners have prayed that an act to the above effect be passed, and it is expedient to grant their prayer ;

Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Certain act of assessment declared to have never existed.

1. The act of assessment drawn up by the trustees of the parish of St. George, district of Beauce, homologated on the 30th March, 1894, shall be considered as having never existed.

New act of assessment authorized.

2. The said trustees are authorized to draw up a new act of assessment for the building of the church to be erected in the said parish, which act of assessment shall for all purposes be subject to the provisions of the Revised Statutes of Quebec respecting the building of churches.

Coming into force.

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

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