

CAP. XVI

An Act to amend the Quebec Election Act, 1895.

[Assented to 10th March, 1899]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

59 V., c. 9,
art. 9, amend-
ed.

1. The first clause of article 9 of the act 59 Victoria, chapter 9, is replaced by following:

Persons who
may be enter-
ed on list.

“**9.** The following persons, and no others, being males, and who, at the time of the deposit of the list under articles 25 and 26 of this act, are of the full age of twenty-one years, subjects of Her Majesty by birth or naturalization and not otherwise legally disqualified, shall be entered upon the list of electors:”

Id., § 11, re-
placed.

2. Paragraph 11 of article 9 of the said act, as replaced by the act 60 Victoria, chapter 21, section 24, is again replaced as follows:

Electoral
franchise of
certain per-
sons.

“**11.** Persons who reside in the electoral district for a year, and who draw, from their salary or wages, in money or in effects, or from some business, employment, trade or profession, or from some investment, a revenue of least three hundred dollars per annum, or persons who work by the piece in factories and who derive at least three hundred dollars per annum therefrom.”

Id., art. 10,
replaced.

3. Article 10 of the act 59 Victoria, chapter 9, is replaced by the following:

Who may be
entered on
list.

“**10.** The persons who are qualified as electors may be entered on the list of electors upon complaint in conformity with articles 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44 and 45, without it being necessary for them to be entered on the valuation roll, which is proof only of the value of the immoveable property.”

Art. 11a add-
ed to id.

4. The following article is added to the said act after article 11:

Tenants of
parts of same
building.

“**11a.** When two or more persons, who each pay an annual rent sufficient to qualify them as electors, are tenants or subtenants, under separate leases, of different portions of the same immoveable property which is valued by a single valuation at a sum sufficient for the share of each to confer on him the electoral suffrage, each tenant and subtenant is an elector in accordance with this act, and shall be entitled to be entered on the list of electors.

If the amount at which the immoveable is valued is not sufficient to confer upon the share of each tenant or sub-tenant the electoral franchise, so many, as the amount required to confer such franchise is comprised in the figure of the valuation, shall be entered on the list, commencing with the names of the tenants or subtenants whose leases are the oldest.

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

CAP. XVII

An Act respecting the secretary of the Provincial Registrar.

[Assented to 10th March, 1899]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. Article 714^a of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by the R. S., 714^a, act 55-56 Victoria, chapter 9, is repealed. repealed.

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

CAP. XVIII

An Act to amend the law respecting the Treasury Department.

[Assented to 10th March, 1899]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. Article 768 of the Revised Statutes is amended by R. S., 768, replacing all the words after the word "thereon," in the sixth line, by the words "are placed to the credit of the Superintendent of Public Instruction and paid by him as prescribed by the Education Act." amended.

2. Article 782 of the Revised Statutes is amended by R. S., 782, replacing all the words after the words "special account," in the fourth line, by the words "and are placed to the credit of the Superintendent of Public Instruction and paid by him as prescribed by the Education Act." amended.