

ever, to the ordinary rules and regulations, both provincial and municipal, provided the proceeds thereof be exclusively employed in the maintenance of its works.

Chapels of corporation not liable to certain taxes.

6. The properties serving as houses of the corporation in which they shall have built chapels for divine worship, shall be exempt from the taxes levied for the construction and repair of churches and presbyteries.

Registers.

Mortuary registers may be kept in such houses.

Cemetery.

The corporation may have a special cemetery for its own use.

12 V., c. 144,
40 V., c. 58,
43-44 V., c.
76, modified.

7. The act 12 Victoria, chapter 144, in so far as this Province is concerned, the acts 40 Victoria, chapter 58, and 43-44 Victoria, chapter 76, of this Province, are modified, in so far as they may be inconsistent with this act.

Coming into force.

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

CAP. LXXXVIII

An Act to amend the act 52 Victoria, chapter 94, respecting the *Sœurs de la Charité de la Providence* and the Longue Pointe Insane Asylum

[Assented to 15th January, 1898]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the community of the *Sœurs de la Charité de la Providence* has by its petition represented that it has undertaken the construction of new buildings for the care of the insane at Longue Pointe, at a distance of about a mile from its present buildings ;

That the two portions of the said establishment are to be in constant and rapid communication ;

That it will be very advantageous to effect such communication by means of an electric tramway from the river St. Lawrence to its new buildings ;

Whereas it has applied for the powers necessary for such purpose, and it is expedient to grant its prayer ;

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

52 V., c. 94,
amended.

1. The act 52 Victoria, chapter 94, is amended by adding thereto the following sections after section 1 :

Authority given to build, &c., tramway ;

“ 1a. It is also authorized to construct and operate a tramway on the level over its present farms from the river St. Lawrence to its new buildings at Longue Pointe and, for that purpose, to exercise the powers conferred by the law

respecting railway companies in this Province for the purpose of their establishment and not for a general railway traffic.

“1*b*. It is authorized to enter into agreements with any other companies or corporations, subject to the agreement made with the Chateauguay and Northern Railway Company, on the 26th October, 1897, which agreement is ratified, in so far as may be necessary. To enter into certain arrangements.

“1*c*. In case no agreement can be made with the turnpike road trustees, as to crossing over their road, it is authorized to proceed by expropriation. Expropriation in certain event.

“1*d*. Nothing in this act shall authorize the community to any act violating the acquired rights of any existing railway company.” Acquired rights of certain railway companies not to be violated.

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

CAP. LXXXIX

An Act to incorporate the *Sœurs du Précieux Sang de Nicolet*

[Assented to 15th January, 1898]

WHEREAS there has existed since the twenty-eighth of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, in the town of Nicolet, in the Province of Quebec, a branch of the community of nuns called “*Sœurs du Précieux Sang de Saint-Hyacinthe*,” the object of whose members is to devote themselves in common to such works of piety, of mercy and of charity, as may be consistent with the contemplative life that they lead; Preamble.

Whereas the said branch or community of “*Le Précieux Sang de Nicolet*” has, through those of its members who are mentioned below, represented that the incorporation of the community would assure and increase the advantages resulting therefrom, and has prayed to be constituted a corporation, in accordance with the regulations and provisions hereinafter mentioned, and whereas it is expedient to grant such prayer;

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

1. Dames Heloise Barbeau, in religion Sister St. Stanislas de Kotska; Eugénie Ranger, in religion Sister Marie des Cinq Plaies; Marie de Lanaudière McConville, in religion Sister Marie de la Croix; Vitaline Barbeau, in religion Sister Marie de la Redemption; Marie Larocque, in religion Sister Persons incorporated.