

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

1. The trustees of the parish of *Sacré-Cœur de Jésus*, Montreal, may, under the restrictions and conditions set forth in the act 49-50 Victoria, chapter 45, levy, if necessary, an amount not exceeding sixteen cents per hundred dollars of the value of the real estate as established by the valuation roll in force on the first of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, which said sixteen cents per hundred dollars were not collected by the said trustees, under the powers conferred upon them by the act aforesaid, to wit: ten cents per hundred dollars, deducted in eighteen hundred and ninety from the forty cents per annum per hundred dollars which the said act 49-50 Victoria, chapter 45, and the assessment based upon the said act allowed them to levy, and six cents per hundred dollars, deducted in eighteen hundred and ninety-four, from the forty cents per annum per hundred dollars which they could exact in virtue of the said statute and assessment.

Trustees authorized to levy certain tax, not heretofore collected under 49 50 V., c. 45.

2. The amount to be levied in virtue of the preceding section is payable in two half yearly and consecutive payments, the first whereof shall be due on the first of May, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

How tax to be payable.

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

Coming into force.

C A P . L X X V I I .

An Act to incorporate The Dominion College of Music, Montreal.

[Assented to 21st December, 1895.]

WHEREAS the parties herein named, by their petition, pray that they, together with such other persons as shall be hereafter associated with them, may be incorporated, under the name of "The Dominion College of Music," for the purpose in general of promoting the study of music and a high standard of efficiency among musicians; and whereas it is expedient to grant their prayer;

Preamble.

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

1. Sir Donald Smith, K. C. M. G., William H. Bebyon, J. Edgar Birch, William Bohrer, Max. Bohrer, George W. Cornish, Septimus Fraser, E. A. Hilton, Percival J. Illsley,

Persons incorporated.

Mus. Bac. and A.R.C.O., William Reed, H. W. Reyner, Mus. Bac. and A.R.C.O., and R. R. Stevenson, all of the city and district of Montreal; J. Edgar Birch, of the city of Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario; E. A. Bishop, of the city and district of Quebec, and A. Dorey, of the city of Sherbrooke, in the district of Saint Francis, and all other persons who may be hereafter associated with them, in accordance with the constitution and by-laws of the said college, shall be and hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate, under the name of "The Dominion College of Music," for the following purposes, to wit:

Name.

Purposes.

1. To provide a central organization, in the city of Montreal, for the profession of music, and,—with such further authorization as may be necessary from the Legislatures of the other Provinces thereof,—branch organizations elsewhere in Canada;

2. To teach and hold examinations in practical and theoretical music and general musical knowledge, and to grant certificates of proficiency therein;

3. To constitute the holders of such certificates fellows or associates of the college;

4. To promote whatever else may tend to raise the standard of proficiency and elevate the status of the profession;

5. To provide members with opportunities for intercourse and for the discussion of professional topics;

6. To facilitate communication between members seeking engagements and persons desirous of employing them;

7. To acquire and maintain halls or other permanent places of meeting, class rooms and offices, and to maintain libraries and musical works for the use of members;

8. To do all other such lawful things as are incidental to the attainment of the above object.

Principal seat.

2. The principal seat of the said college shall be at the city of Montreal.

Power to possess immovables.

3. The college shall have power to possess moveable and immovable property, provided that the value of such immovables, held for the purposes of revenue only, shall not exceed the sum of one hundred thousand dollars.

Amount limited.

Members not to profit pecuniarily. Application of revenues.

4. The members of the college shall not seek or derive any pecuniary profit or gain from their membership. The income and property of the college shall be applied solely towards the attainment of the objects of the college.

Composition of college.

5. The college shall consist of members of such classes as may, from time to time, be prescribed by the by-laws of the college.

6. The officers of the college shall be patrons, president, two vice-presidents, a bursar and a registrar, and not less than two auditors, and such other persons as may, from time to time, be prescribed by the by-laws. Officers.

7. The government of the college and the management of its property shall be vested in a council, of not less than fifteen fellows of the college, to be elected by members of the college in such manner as may be prescribed by the by-laws, and of such *ex-officio* members as may, from time to time, be prescribed by the by-laws. Council.

Ten councillors shall be resident in the district of Montreal, and five shall be resident without the district of Montreal, but within the limits of Canada. Residence of councillors.

8. The council shall have power, from time to time, to make by-laws for the due and proper management of the college and its branches, and to revoke, alter or amend any of the by-laws so made. Power to make, &c., by-laws.

9. No member of the College shall be liable for more than the amount of his subscription. Limit of liability of members.

C A P. L X X V I I I .

An Act to amend the act respecting the Compton Model Farm.

[Assented to 21st December, 1895.]

WHEREAS the trustees of the corporation of the Compton Model Farm, the Honorable John McIntosh, sheriff of the district of St. Francis; Herbert D. Smith and Joseph A. Dufort, both farmers, of the township of Compton, have, by their petition, represented : Preamble.

That the handing over of the entire management of the Compton Model Farm to the Government of this Province, through trustees by it appointed, would be of a nature to assure the maintenance and progress of that institution ;

That the municipality of the village of Compton has, by resolution, consented to abandon its right to appoint two of the trustees who compose the board of management of the said corporation ;

That it is in the interest of the corporation that it be authorized to acquire the immoveables necessary for the purposes of its institution, and to make arrangements with the Government for the maintenance of the school and for other purposes ;