

2. The preceding provisions shall, as to the past, only apply to such contracts of insurance or policies which are still in force, and where the husband is still living when this act comes into force, whether the wife shall have predeceased him or shall hereafter predecease him. Application of previous section.

3. The rights acquired by creditors before the coming into force of this act are preserved. Rights of creditors preserved.

4. This act shall not be interpreted as declaring that the law was previously different from that herein expressed. Declaratory as to effect of law.

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

CAP. XLVII.

An Act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure.

[Assented to 12th January, 1895.]

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

1. The English version of article 680 of the Code of Civil Procedure, as it is contained in article 5940 of the Revised Statutes, is amended by striking out the words: "or pay," in the fourth line thereof. C. C. P., 680, amended.

2. Article 1132 of the said Code, as enacted by the act 54 Victoria, chapter 48, section 2, is replaced by the following: Id., 1132, replaced.

"**1132.** As soon as the parties have filed their appearance, or after the delay to file the same has expired, if only one party has appeared, the case is set down, by the clerk of appeals, upon the roll for hearing; but the parties are not bound to be present in court to be heard before the expiration of the delays fixed by the preceding article." When case to be set down for hearing. When parties to be ready to be heard.

3. Article 1169 of the said Code is repealed. Id., 1169, repealed.

CAP. XLVIII.

An Act to amend the Municipal Code.

[Assented to 12th January, 1895.]

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

1. The English version of article 22 of the Municipal Code is amended by replacing the word: "or," in the fourth line thereof, by the word: "on." M. C., 22, amended.