

§ 14.—*Final provisions.*

"**3053a.** The provisions of the civil laws of this Province, Civil laws not affected in certain cases. concerning the responsibility of the employer towards his employees, are in no manner considered as being modified or changed by the provisions of this act."

2. This act shall not affect the appointments, rules and regulations, matters or things made or done in virtue of the Certain appointments, &c., not affected, &c. act replaced by the present act, which shall remain in force until it be otherwise decided under the provisions of this act.

3. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanc- Coming into force. tion.

CAP. XXXI.

An Act to amend the law respecting the Board of Health of the Province of Quebec.

[Assented to 8th January, 1894.]

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

1. Article 3055 of the Revised Statutes, as replaced by R. S., art. 3055, amended. the act 54 Victoria, chapter 27, section 1, and amended by the act 55-56 Victoria, chapter 28, section 1, is further amended by replacing the word "five," in the first line, by the word "seven."

2. The fourth paragraph of article 3056 of the said Stat- R. S., art. 3056, amended. utes, as replaced by the act 54 Victoria, chapter 27, section 1, is again replaced by the following :

"The secretary receives such salary, not exceeding two Secretary's salary. thousand dollars, as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may be pleased to fix."

3. Article 3058 of the said Statutes, as replaced by the R. S., art. 3058, amended. said act, is amended :

1. By inserting after the words : "think fit," in the first line of paragraph 3, the words : "for preventing the pollution of water-courses, wells, reservoirs and other sources of water supply ; for causing all nuisances or possible cause of disease to disappear ; for regulating more especially the manner of constructing and maintaining public and private sewers, drains, closets and cess-pools, for regulating the sanitary condition of houses, cow-sheds, stables, pig-sties and Further powers of Board.

yards; the manner of disposing of bodies of animals, sweepings, refuse and manure, as well as the keeping of places for depositing night-soil and similar substances; the manner of building and keeping slaughter-houses and other establishments which are not provided for by the provisions of these Statutes respecting industrial establishments;

Clause added. 2. By adding the following clause to paragraph 4 :

Proceedings in urgent cases. " In urgent cases, the Board, when for forty-eight hours after any order has been given to a municipal council under this article the same has not been executed, may, after being thereto authorized by a magistrate or two justices of the peace, proceed directly to the execution of the order at the cost of the municipality in default. The representative of the Board of Health entrusted with its execution has *ipso facto* the same rights and powers of the municipal council whose action he replaces."

R. S., art. 3063, amended. 4. Article 3063 of the said Statutes, as replaced by the said act, is amended by adding thereto the following clauses :

Board of Health in municipalities not to be abolished. Internal management of local boards. " When formed, no Board of Health can be abolished, but the members composing it may be changed by the municipal council.

Every municipal council may make regulations for the internal management of its Board of Health, and, in cases when it does not do so, the Board of Health may make them itself."

R. S., art. 3066n, amended. 5. Article 3066n of the said Statutes, as replaced by the said act, is amended by inserting, after the words: " contagious disease," in the sixth line, the words: " or having been recently exposed to contagion from such disease."

R. S., art. 3066o, amended. 6. Article 3066o of the said Statutes, as replaced by the said act, is amended by inserting after the word: " disease," in the second line, the words: " or has been recently exposed to contagion from one."

R. S., art. 3066q, replaced. 7. Article 3066q of the said Statutes, as replaced by the said act, is replaced by the following :

Disinfection of goods, &c. " **3066q.** The municipal council may order the disinfection of effects exposed to infection from contagious disease, and, if necessary, order their destruction, giving compensation to the owner or owners of such effects at the expense of the municipality."

R. S., art. 3066s, amended. 8. The following clause is added to article 3066s of the said Statutes, as replaced by the said act:

Informalities not to annul prosecutions. " No irregularity in the complaint, summons or other proceeding, shall annul the prosecution, but the court may

allow any amendment to be made in the proceedings which will not change its nature ; and, if necessary, in the opinion of the court, the case may be continued so as to prevent any surprise that such amendment might occasion."

9. The following section is added after section third of chapter third of title seventh of the said Statutes :

Section added
after R. S.,
art. 3095.

SECTION IV.

PROVISIONS RESPECTING HEALTH IN INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

" **3095a.** The Board of Health of the Province may, with the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, make and amend the regulations which it deems necessary for securing health in the industrial establishments, prescribed for by the fourth section of chapter second of title seventh of these Statutes and relating to :

Regulations
that may be
made by
Board respect-
ing industrial
establish-
ments.

- (a). The supply of drinking water ;
- (b). Lighting ;
- (c). Cubic space ;
- (d). Aeration and ventilation ;
- (e). Cleanliness and cleaning ;
- (f). The expulsion and manner of disposing of dust, gas, vapor and waste produced in the course of work ;
- (g). The system of drainage, including sinks, lavatories, urinals, closets, and the method of disposing of liquids used in industry ;
- (h). The temperature of the premises ;

The said regulations shall come into force fifteen days after their publication in the *Quebec Official Gazette*.

When they
come into
force.

" **3095b.** Every infringement of the above regulations renders the person who commits the same liable to a fine not exceeding two hundred dollars, and another fine of six dollars per day for every day during which the infringement lasts, after notice given by the sanitary physician.

Penalty for
infractions.

" **3095c.** Such regulations shall not annul the local regulations made by local municipal councils, except when they are contradictory.

When local
regulations
are annulled.

" **3095d.** The sanitary physicians appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, in virtue of the fourth section of the second chapter of the seventh title of these Statutes must, under the direction of the Board of Health of the Province, see to the carrying out of the above-mentioned regulations.

Duties of cer-
tain sanitary
physicians.

Notices, &c.,
how given,
&c.

“**3095e.** The procedure to be followed for notices, services, suits and other measures rendered necessary in carrying out such regulations, shall be that indicated for notices, services, prosecutions and other measures provided for by section fourth of chapter second of title seventh of these Statutes.”

C A P. XXXII.

An Act to amend the law respecting Industrial Schools.

[Assented to 8th January, 1894.]

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

R. S., art.
3137, amend-
ed.

1. Article 3137 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by the act 55-56 Victoria, chapter 29, section 2, is amended :

1. By adding after the word : “ magistrate,” in the second line, the words : “ or a coroner, or the sheriff or prothonotary of the district.”

2. By replacing the words : “ between the ages of seven and twelve years, who is fatherless or motherless,” in the third and fourth lines, by the words : “ between the ages of six and fourteen years, who is an orphan, or fatherless or motherless.”

3. By adding after the word : “ being,” in the sixth line, the words : “ infirm or,”

4. By adding after the word : “ him,” in the seventh line, the words : “ or worthy of doing so.”

R. S., art.
3138a, amend-
ed.

2. Article 3138a of the said Statutes, as enacted by the said act 55-56 Victoria, chapter 29, section 6, is amended :

1. By replacing the words : “ local municipality,” wherever found in paragraphs 2, 3 and 8, by the words : “ municipality of the county.”

2. By adding at the end of paragraph 5, the words : “ or by local municipalities.”

R. S., art.
3140, amend-
ed.

3. Article 3140 of the said Statutes, as enacted by section 8 of the said act 55-56 Victoria, chapter 29, is amended by striking out the words : “ with the authority of the council of his municipality, city or town,” in the second and third lines.

R. S., art.
3142, amend-
ed.

4. Article 3142 of the said Statutes, as enacted by section 9 of the said act 55-56 Victoria, chapter 29, is amended by