

Certain obligation confirmed.

2. The obligation entered into between the *Dames Religieuses de Notre-Dame de Charité du Bon Pasteur* and Séraphin St-Onge, before M^{re} L. O. Héou, notary, at Montreal, on the tenth November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, is hereby ratified.

9 V., c. 91, s. 2, replaced.

3. Section 2 of the said act 9 Victoria, chapter 91, is replaced by the following :

Application of revenues, &c.

" 2. Provided always and be it enacted that the rents, revenues and profits of all property, real and personal, held by the said corporation, shall be appropriated and employed solely to the maintenance of the members of the corporation, the construction and repair of the buildings required for the purposes of the corporation, the purchase of real and personal property, the establishing of ground rents, the support, care and reformation of female penitents, the care and education of girls generally, and the payment of the expenses to be incurred for objects legitimately connected with the purposes aforesaid."

Coming into force.

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

C A P . L X I V .

An Act to incorporate the Sisters of St. Margaret.

[Assented to 30th December, 1890.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS there has existed, since the sixth day of May 1885, in the city of Montreal, in the Province of Québec, a branch of the community of the Sisters of St. Margaret, whose members aim at devoting themselves in common to works of piety and charity consistent with the contemplative life led by them, and particularly of providing a home for the incurable, the infirm and the sick; and whereas the said branch of the said community of the Sisters of St. Margaret, through their Sister-in-charge and other Sisters hereinafter named, have represented to the Legislature that the incorporation of the said community would assure and increase the advantages derived therefrom, and have prayed to be incorporated according to the rules and regulations hereinafter mentioned;

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

Persons incorporated.

1. Mesdames Abbie Elizabeth Pulsifer, known as Sister Elizabeth Margaret, the Sister-in-charge; Sarah W. Smith, known as Sister Sarah Margaret; Ella Pearson, known as

Sister Josephine Margaret ; Annie A. Burke, known as Sister Annie Margaret, all now members of the community of the Sisters of St. Margaret, and such other persons who now are or hereafter may become members thereof, and will carry out their objects according to their rules and regulations, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate, under the name of "The Sisters of St. Margaret," with all the rights, powers and privileges of corporations, whose objects are moral, spiritual or religious.

2. Under such name the corporation, hereby constituted, has perpetual succession and may :

1. Sue and be sued in the courts of justice ;
2. Have a seal which it may alter or renew, as it may deem advisable ;
3. For the ends and purposes of the said community, hold, take, acquire, possess, accept and receive all moveable and immoveable property of any nature whatsoever, and the same hypothecate, sell, lease or otherwise alienate, and acquire others in their place, provided that the annual value of the said property, exclusive of the buildings necessary for the said community and the land upon which the same are or may be built, shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars ;
4. Adopt by-laws and regulations for the government of the said community, the management of the corporation and the general administration of its property.

3. Three members of the said community, one of them being the Sister-in-charge, shall constitute a quorum for its meetings, for establishing rules and by-laws, and for the transaction of all the business of the corporation.

4. The rents, revenues and profits arising from every description of moveable and immoveable property belonging to the said community, shall be appropriated solely for the accomplishment of the objects of the said community.

5. The corporation may, by a simple delegation of the powers thereof, appoint an agent or attorney, and remove him at pleasure and appoint another in his stead, to represent the said corporation and to take charge of and defend its interests before any courts of justice.

6. None of the provisions of this act shall have or be deemed to have the effect of rendering all or any of the persons forming the corporation personally liable for any debt, security or obligation contracted or consented to and for, and in the name of the corporation, or relating to any matter or thing concerning the corporation.

Return to
Lieutenant-
Governor.

7. It shall be the duty of the said corporation, when thereunto requested by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, to submit a detailed statement of the property and real estate held and owned by them under the present act.

Coming into
force.

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

C A P . L X V .

An Act to amend the act 47 Victoria, chapter 52.

[Assented to 30th December, 1890.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the "*Maison de l'Immaculée Conception de Montréal*" has prayed that the act incorporating the corporation be amended, so as to remove all doubts as to its power to borrow, hypothecate, &c.; 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:

47 V., c. 52, s.
3, replaced.

1. Section 3 of the act 47 Victoria, chapter 52, is repealed and replaced by the following:

Power to ac-
quire, &c, pro-
perty, &c.

"3. It may possess, accept and acquire, by any legal title, moveable and immoveable property, which it may sell, alienate, hypothecate, assign, lease, transfer and exchange or otherwise dispose of by any title whatsoever, provided always that the net annual revenues from its immoveable property situate in this Province do not exceed thirty thousand dollars after all expenses have been paid."

Amount of
real estate
limited.

Signature to
deeds, &c.

2. The signature of the superior or of the procurator of the said corporation shall be sufficient in any deed and for all legal purposes.

Coming into
force.

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