

STATUTES

OF THE

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC,

PASSED IN THE

Fifty-First and Fifty-Second Years of the Reign of Her Majesty

QUEEN VICTORIA;

AND IN THE

SECOND SESSION OF THE SIXTH LEGISLATURE.

BEGUN AND HOLDEN AT QUEBEC, ON THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF MAY, AND CLOSED BY PRO-
GATION ON THE TWELFTH DAY OF JULY, IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHT.



HIS HONOR

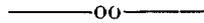
THE HONORABLE AUGUSTE RÉAL ANGERS,
LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

QUEBEC :

PRINTED BY CHARLES FRANÇOIS LANGLOIS,
PRINTER TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

ANNO DOMINI, 1888.

TABLE OF CONTENTS



| Chap. | PAGE. |
|---|-------|
| 1. An Act granting to Her Majesty the moneys required for the expenses of the Government, for the financial years ending on the 30th June, 1888, and on the 30th June, 1889, and for other purposes connected with the public service..... | 3 |
| 2. An Act respecting the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec..... | 25 |
| 3. An Act to provide for the replacing of destroyed originals of the Statutes..... | 26 |
| 4. An Act to reduce the quorum of the Legislative Assembly to fifteen members..... | 27 |
| 5. An Act to provide for the replacing of the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly in certain cases..... | 27 |
| 6. An Act respecting the Legislative allowance..... | 28 |
| 7. An Act to declare indemnified certain members of the Legislative Assembly..... | 28 |
| 8. An Act respecting the appointment of a President of the Executive Council of the Province..... | 29 |
| 9. An Act respecting the redemption of Provincial Debentures and the conversion of the debt..... | 30 |
| 10. An Act to amend the Quebec License Law..... | 31 |
| 11. An Act to impose certain direct taxes on certain commercial corporations..... | 35 |

| Cap. | PAGE. |
|--|-------|
| 12. An Act to provide for the settlement of certain questions in dispute between the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario, by means of arbitration | 42 |
| 13. An Act respecting the settlement of the Jesuits' Estates..... | 43 |
| 14. An Act to amend the act 48 Victoria, chapter 7, respecting Agriculture..... | 66 |
| 15. An Act respecting the sale and management of public lands, timber and mines, the clearing of land and the protection of forests | 67 |
| 16. An Act to amend chapter 39 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada respecting Letters-Patent issued before the 2nd of August 1851..... | 70 |
| 17. An Act to amend and consolidate the laws relating to fisheries | 70 |
| 18. An Act to amend the act 47 Victoria, chapter 8, respecting the holding of the Superior Court and the Circuit Court and the Code of Civil Procedure..... | 80 |
| 19. An Act to give the civil courts of the district of Quebec concurrent jurisdiction over the county of Bellechasse.... | 80 |
| 20. An Act to amend the laws respecting District Magistrates. | 82 |
| 21. An Act respecting certain officers of justice..... | 84 |
| 22. An Act to amend certain articles of the Civil Code..... | 85 |
| 23. An Act to amend article 376 of the Code of Civil Procedure | 86 |
| 24. An Act to amend certain articles of the Code of Civil Procedure | 85 |
| 25. An Act to amend article 1325 of the Code of Civil Procedure..... | 88 |
| 26. An Act respecting procedure in certain commercial and other matters requiring despatch..... | 89 |

| Cap. | PAGE. |
|--|-------|
| 27. An Act to amend the act of this Province, 44-45 Victoria, chapter 17, intituled: " An Act to secure the payment of builders and workmen " | 92 |
| 28. An Act providing for the appointment of commissioners to receive affidavits in foreign countries and amending the Code of Civil Procedure to that effect..... | 92 |
| 29. An Act to amend certain articles of the Municipal Code.... | 93 |
| 30. An Act to amend the Municipal Code..... | 94 |
| 31. An Act to amend article 1080 of the Municipal Code..... | 96 |
| 32. An Act respecting winter vehicles..... | 96 |
| 33. An Act to change the limits of the village of Arthabaska-ville | 97 |
| 34. An Act to erect the townships of Guigues, Duhamel and Laverlochère, in the county of Pontiac, into one municipality with the powers of a county council..... | 97 |
| 35. An Act to detach the township of Hereford and a part of the township of Clifton from the county of Compton, and to annex them to the county of Stanstead for judicial purposes and to the registration division of Coaticook for registration purposes..... | 98 |
| 36. An Act to amend the laws respecting Public Instruction... .. | 100 |
| 37. An Act to amend the act passed during the present session under the number five, being chapter 36 of these Statutes, intituled: " An Act to amend the laws respecting Public Instruction"..... | 132 |
| 38. An Act to amend the acts concerning public instruction in this Province..... | 132 |
| 39. An Act to declare that the territories erected into parishes, in virtue of the Act 34 Victoria, chapter 8, form school municipalities, and to remove all doubts on the subject.. | 133 |
| 40. An Act to amend the act 47 Victoria, chapter 23, respecting industrial schools..... | 134 |

| Cap. | PAGE. |
|--|-------|
| 41. An Act to amend the act 49-50 Victoria, chapter 34, respecting the Bar of the Province of Quebec..... | 134 |
| 42. An Act to amend article 81 of the Notarial Code | 135 |
| 43. An Act to amend the Act 49-50 Victoria, chapter 33, respecting those candidates for the study and practice of the liberal professions who took part in the North-West expedition of 1885..... | 135 |
| 44. An Act to amend chapter 18 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada..... | 136 |
| 45. An Act to regulate church assessments in Roman Catholic parishes in Montreal, in so far as national parishes are concerned | 137 |
| 46. An Act respecting assessments for the construction of churches in the parish of St. Mary's of Notre-Dame du Bon Conseil..... | 137 |
| 47. An Act respecting Public Health..... | 140 |
| 48. An Act for the better regulation of Interments and Disinterments..... | 145 |
| 49. An Act to amend the act 48 Victoria, chapter 32, respecting the protection of the life and health of persons employed in factories..... | 150 |
| 50. An Act to amend the act 49-50 Victoria, chapter 74, respecting the employment of combustible gases in this Province | 150 |
| 51. An Act to amend the act 36 Victoria, chapter 25, respecting certain Joint Stock Companies..... | 151 |
| 52. An Act to further amend the act of the former Province of Canada, 12 Victoria, chapter 143, respecting the Oblate Fathers | 151 |
| 53. An Act to incorporate " <i>La Congrégation Des Frères de l'Instruction Chrétienne</i> "..... | 152 |
| 54. An Act to incorporate the <i>Cercle de la Salle</i> | 153 |
| 55. An Act to incorporate <i>Les Petites Sœurs des Pauvres</i> | 154 |

| Cap. | PAGE. |
|--|-------|
| 56. An Act to amend the Act 23 Victoria, chapter 136 of the Statutes of the former Province of Canada respecting <i>La Communauté des filles de Ste. Anne</i> | 155 |
| 57. An Act to amend and consolidate the Acts relating to the Young Men's Christian Association of the City of Montreal..... | 157 |
| 58. An Act to incorporate the religious congregation called "The Advent Christian Church."..... | 160 |
| 59. An Act to amend the act 18 Victoria, chapter 72, respecting the Evangelical Society of "La Grande Ligne."..... | 162 |
| 60. An Act to amend the act 50 Victoria, chapter 41, intituled: "An Act respecting the incorporation of associations for literary purposes and for purposes of amusement."..... | 163 |
| 61. An Act to incorporate the Sunday School Union of the Province of Quebec..... | 163 |
| 62. An Act to incorporate " <i>l'Union Saint Joseph de St. Joseph de St. Hyacinthe</i> ."..... | 165 |
| 63. An Act to incorporate " <i>l'Union St. Joseph de St. Henri</i> ."..... | 169 |
| 64. An Act to incorporate "The Sherbrooke Protestant Hospital."..... | 170 |
| 65. An Act to consolidate and amend the act 12 Victoria, chapter 149, incorporating <i>L'association Saint Jean-Baptiste de Montréal</i> | 178 |
| 66. An Act to consolidate the act of incorporation of " <i>La Société St. Jean-Baptiste de la ville de St Jean</i> ." (31 Victoria, chapter 50.)..... | 182 |
| 67. An Act to incorporate the Drummondville Industrial Company..... | 206 |
| 68. An Act to incorporate the Forest and Stream Club..... | 208 |
| 69. An Act to incorporate "The Shamrock Amateur Athletic Association."..... | 211 |
| 70. An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Dominion Lime Company..... | 213 |

| Cap. | PAGE. |
|---|-------|
| 71. An Act to amend the charter of the Orford Copper and Sulphur Company..... | 214 |
| 72. An Act incorporate the Richmond County Electric Company | 227 |
| 73. An Act to incorporate the Chambly Manufacturing Company..... | 231 |
| 74. An Act to incorporate " <i>l'Union des Tailleurs de cuir de Québec.</i> "..... | 241 |
| 75. An Act to amend the charter of the Windsor and Brompton Bridge Company..... | 242 |
| 76. An Act to incorporate the Ste. Clotilde de Horton Bridge Company..... | 243 |
| 77. An Act permitting the keeping and working of a certain ferry over the Yamaska river, in the parish of St. Michel d'Yamaska, in the county of Yamaska | 246 |
| 78. An Act to further amend the acts incorporating the corporation of the city of Quebec..... | 246 |
| 79. An Act to authorize the consolidation of the debt of the City of Montreal, and for other purposes..... | 264 |
| 80. An Act to amend the various acts respecting the incorporation of the city of Three Rivers..... | 269 |
| 81. An Act to further amend the act incorporating the town of Levis, consolidated by the act 36 Victoria, chapter 60, and the acts amending the same..... | 273 |
| 82. An Act to amend the act 43-44 Victoria, chapter 62, intituled: "An Act to amend and consolidate the act of incorporation of the town of Saint John's and the several acts amending the same, and the act 44-45 Victoria, chapter 74, intituled: 'An Act to amend the charter of the town of St. John's, 43-44 Victoria, chapter 62.'"..... | 275 |
| 83. An Act to amend and consolidate the acts incorporating the town and city of St. Hyacinthe and the acts amending the same, and to confer further powers upon the mayor and council of the city of St. Hyacinthe..... | 278 |

| Cap. | PAGE. |
|---|-------|
| 84. An Act to amend the charter of the town of Terrebonne, and the act amending the same..... | 339 |
| 85. An Act to amend the act 44-45 Victoria, chapter 75, incorporating the town of Longueuil..... | 345 |
| 86. An Act to amend the act 47 Victoria, chapter 90, incorporating the town of Sainte Cunégonde, and the act amending the same, 49-50 Victoria, chapter 51..... | 346 |
| 87. An Act to amend the act incorporating the town of St. Henri..... | 349 |
| 88. An Act to incorporate the town of Drummondville..... | 352 |
| 89. An Act to amend the act 46 Victoria, chapter 82, incorporating the town of Hochelaga, now the town of Maisonneuve | 358 |
| 90. An Act to erect the town of Coaticook into a town with a special charter | 365 |
| 91. An Act respecting Railway Subsidies..... | 373 |
| 92. An Act to amend the Quebec Consolidated Railway Act, 1880 | 377 |
| 93. An Act to amend the act 43-44 Victoria, chapter 43, respecting railways..... | 378 |
| 94. An Act to amend the act 46 Victoria, chapter 88, intituled : “ An Act to amend and consolidate the various acts respecting the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company”..... | 378 |
| 95. An Act to revive the charter of the United Counties Railway Company and to extend the delays for the commencement and completion of its works..... | 384 |
| 96. An Act to incorporate the Saint Lawrence and North Western Railway Company..... | 391 |
| 97. An Act to incorporate the Orford Railway Company..... | 398 |
| 98. An Act to incorporate the Orford Mountain Railway Company | 403 |

| Cap. | PAGE. |
|--|-------|
| 99. An Act to incorporate the Napierville Junction Railway Company..... | 409 |
| 100. An Act to incorporate the Quebec Oriental Railway Company..... | 414 |
| 101. An Act to incorporate the Portage du Fort and Bristol Branch Railway Company..... | 420 |
| 102. An Act to incorporate the Joliette and St. Jean de Matha Railway Company..... | 425 |
| 103. An Act to incorporate the St. Maurice Railway Company..... | 429 |
| 104. An Act to incorporate the St. Chrysostôme Railway Company..... | 435 |
| 105. An Act to amend an act, passed in the 50th year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: " An Act to amend the act of incorporation of the Ottawa and Gatineau Valley Railway Company. "..... | 442 |
| 106. An Act to amend the charter of the " Lachine and Hochelaga Railway Company, " 46 Victoria, chapter 100..... | 443 |
| 107. An Act to incorporate the " Philipsburg Junction Railway and Quarry Company..... | 443 |
| 108. An Act to amend the Act 41 Victoria, chapter 48, incorporating the St. Lawrence, Lower Laurentian and Saguenay Railway Company..... | 448 |
| 109. An Act to amend the act 33 Victoria, chapter 32, respecting the formation of Joint Stock Companies for stoning roads. | 450 |
| 110. An Act to render valid certain non-contentious proceedings on which the stamps required by law were not affixed by the late P. J. U. Beaudry, prothonotary of the district of Beauharnois..... | 451 |
| 111. An Act to ratify and confirm certain resolutions of the municipal council of the village of Côte Saint Antoine, granting a commutation of the ordinary municipal taxes payable by the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association on its athletic grounds at Côte Saint Antoine..... | 452 |

| Cap. | PAGE. |
|--|-------|
| 112. An Act confirming a certain deed of lease made by the city of Montreal to the Royal Victoria Hospital..... | 453 |
| 113. An Act to allow the Honorable Henri Gustave Joly to add the following words to his name " de Lobinière." | 454 |
| 114. An Act to increase the capital of the Canadian Rubber Company of Montreal..... | 456 |
| 115. An Act to authorize the Magog Textile and Print Company to borrow money and issue debentures..... | 456 |
| 116. An Act to authorize the Royal Electric Company of Montreal to borrow money and issue debentures..... | 457 |
| 117. An Act to authorize the Mechanics' Institute of Montreal to borrow money on mortgage..... | 459 |
| 118. An Act to authorize the municipal council of the township of Dundee to contract a loan or to issue debentures, for the extinguishment of the Indian title to a portion of the lands of the said township and for other purposes... | 460 |
| 119. An Act to authorize The Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, to possess immoveable property in the Province, to an extent further than that presently allowed it..... | 463 |
| 120. An Act to authorize the Standard Life Assurance Company to sue and be sued and to acquire and hold real estate under the name of the Standard Life Assurance Company..... | 464 |
| 121. An Act to authorize The Grey Nuns of the General Hospital of Montreal to sell a lot of land in the parish of St. Joseph of Chambly..... | 467 |
| 122. An Act to enable the Trustees of the Congregation of Saint Andrew's Church. Levis, in the Province of Quebec, in connection with the Presbyterian Church in Canada, to lease or sell a certain lot of land at Levis..... | 468 |
| 123. An Act to authorize Joseph Octave Antoine Lalonde to sell and dispose of certain property..... | 469 |
| 124. An Act to authorize the sale of certain immoveables substituted in favor of the children of Louis Arthur Zotique Pouliot..... | 471 |

| Cap. | PAGE. |
|--|-------|
| 125. An Act to authorize the sale of immoveable property belonging to the substitution created by the will of the late John Monk and the investment and re-investment of the proceeds of such sale..... | 472 |
| 126. An Act to extend the powers of the Sherbrooke Marble Company and the Dudswell Lime and Marble Company. | 476 |
| 127. An Act to grant a remuneration to the testamentary executors of the estate of the late John Pratt..... | 481 |
| 128. An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Edouard Honoré Tellier among its members after examination..... | 481 |
| 129. An Act to regularize the clerkship of Théophile Alexandre <i>alias</i> Alexandre Archambeault, physician, of the parish of St. Paul l'Ermite, in the county of l'Assomption. | 482 |
| 130. An Act to regularize the clerkship of Prosper Onézime Lauzon..... | 483 |
| 131. An Act to authorize Felix Laroche to practise the profession of Medicine and Surgery..... | 483 |
| 132. An Act to regularize the clerkship of Aimé Prosper Aquila Pichette and permit the Provincial Medical Board to admit him amongst its members..... | 484 |
