

The corporation may accordingly establish its corporate seat and principal establishment in any place in the province it may deem proper, and it may found and establish, in different places in this Province, branch establishments for the purposes of its incorporation "

Corporate seat.

Branch establishment.

2. Section 4 of the said act is replaced by the following : Id. s. 4, replaced.

" 4. The council of the community of the *Sœurs de Ste. Anne*, may appoint such officers, attorneys or administrators as it may deem necessary for the internal government and proper administration of the property and affairs of the corporation both at the principal establishment and at the branch establishments of the corporation.

Community may appoint officers, &c., for management of its affairs.

The *Communauté des Filles de Ste. Anne* is hereby authorized to keep in its principal establishment, not only registers for entering monastic vows but also registers of deaths, which shall be kept in accordance with the laws of this Province relating to registers of civil status ; and the death of nuns of the said community only shall be registered therein.

Community to keep registers of burial, in accordance with the law. Entries to be made therein.

From and after the passing of this act, the corporation shall be known as the "*Communauté des Sœurs de Sainte Anne*" and under such name it shall, in addition to the rights and powers conferred upon it by this act, have all the rights, powers, properties and obligations of "*La communauté des filles de Sainte-Anne*."

Name of corporation changed.

Powers.

Nevertheless, no legacy, donation, gift and which may hereafter be made to the said corporation, designating it by its former corporate name, shall be annulled or attacked through such defect, when the intention of the testators or donors shall be manifest."

Proviso as to legacies, &c., under old name.

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

Coming into force.

PROPRIÉTÉ DE
L'ASSEMBLÉE LÉGISLATIVE
CAP. LVII.

An Act to amend and consolidate the Acts relating to the Young Men's Christian Association of the City of Montreal.

[Assented to 12th July, 1888.]

WHEREAS the Young Men's Association of Montreal, Preamble.
incorporated by the act 34 Victoria, chapter 59, and amended by the acts 36 Victoria, chapter 63 and 48 Victoria, chapter 49, has by its petition, represented that it has purchased from the Montreal Auxiliary Bible Society, Canada Sunday School Union, and Religious Tract Society, all the rights and privileges secured to them by the said acts in

its present building and property, and that the said institution fulfills the objects of its foundation and has greatly extended its operations ; so that it has become necessary to remove from the premises now occupied by it to more central and larger premises, and to establish branches in different parts of the city of Montreal and suburbs, and in order to better define its powers and remove all doubts as to the same, it is expedient to amend and consolidate the act incorporating it, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Corporation continued.

1. The Young Men's Christian Association of Montreal has been and shall continue to be a body corporate and politic under the said name.

Objects of corporation.

2. The object of the said corporation has been, is, and shall be the improvement of the spiritual, mental, social and physical condition of young men, by the maintenance of libraries, reading-rooms, lectures, classes, social and religious services, and such other means as may promote this object.

Board of management and composition thereof.

3. The affairs, work, and property of the corporation shall be administered and managed by a board of twenty-one directors, who shall be elected and hold office for three years, or until their successors are elected, one third of whom shall retire annually, but shall be eligible for re-election.

Board from whom chosen.

The board shall be chosen from the active members of the corporation, and no more than one-third shall belong to any one denomination.

Present members continued in office.

The present members of the board of directors shall continue in office until their successors are elected.

Property vested in corporation.

4. All property now owned by, or which may be acquired by purchase, gift, devise or bequest or any other title shall be held in the corporate name of the said corporation ; but the immoveable property shall not be sold, hypothecated, or otherwise alienated or charged, unless it be consented to by a majority of the active membership present at a meeting specially called for that purpose, fourteen days' notice thereof having been given, by two insertions in each of one morning and one evening daily paper published in the city of Montreal, and also with the consent of three fourths of the directors, such consent to be recorded in the minute book of the association.

Proceedings required to sell, &c., same.

Power to hold, &c., property.

5. The said corporation may acquire, hold and use for its work and objects any property by any title, and may

sell, alienate, hypothecate, pledge, exchange or lease it or any part thereof, but it shall not own real estate except that in actual use by the corporation, of an annual value of more than ten thousand dollars for more than five years at one time. Amount limited.

6. The deed of sale and agreement entered into by the said corporation, and the Montreal Auxiliary Bible Society, Canada Sunday School Union, and Religious Tract Society, and executed before Charles Cushing, N. P. on the 29th day of May, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, is hereby ratified and confirmed, and declared good and valid; and the said corporation is hereby declared to be the sole owner and proprietor of the property known as lot official number 1063 of the official plan and book of reference of St. Antoine Ward, in the city of Montreal, and the building thereon erected, with full power to deal therewith, subject only to the hypothec in favor of the said Montreal Auxiliary Bible Society as therein set forth. Certain deed of sale and agreement ratified. Corporation declared to be owner of certain real estate.

7. The said corporation may make and adopt such constitution, by-laws and rules as it may deem expedient for the conduct of its affairs and the guidance of its officers as are not contrary to this act or charter or to law. Power to make by-laws.

Section 1, Article 1 of by-laws as now existing shall not be altered or repealed, in so far as it provides that only members in good standing of some Protestant evangelical church in the city of Montreal have the right to vote and hold office in the association. Certain article of by-laws not to be altered or repealed.

The present constitution and by-laws of said corporation, except such portions as are inconsistent with this act, shall remain in force until changed or repealed thereunder. Present constitution and by-laws continued unless inconsistent with this act.

8. All the provisions the acts 34 Victoria, chapter 59, 36 Victoria, chapter 63 and 48 Victoria, chapter 49, which are inconsistent with, or contrary to this act, are hereby repealed and all portions of the constitution and by-laws of the said corporation as have been passed in virtue of such repealed provisions are hereby repealed. Inconsistent provisions of 34 V., c. 59, 36 V., c. 63, and 48 V., c. 49, and of constitution and by-laws repealed.

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