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An act to incorporate the "*Syndicat financier de l'Université Laval à Montréal.*"

[Assented to 18th May, 1887.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Laval University, founded by the Seminary of Quebec under Royal Charter, dated the 8th December, 1852, canonically erected by His Holiness Pope Pius IX, on the 15th May, 1876, has extended its faculties of Divinity, Law, Medicine and Arts to Montreal:

Whereas the better to secure the development and progress of these faculties at Montreal and secure to them the exclusive use of everything which may be made or done in their favour both by the Seminary of Quebec and otherwise, it is necessary that a special corporation be created, which shall have the exclusive possession and full control of all the property set apart for the said faculties of Laval University in Montreal;

Whereas his Grace Edouard Charles Fabre, Archbishop of Montreal, Monsignor M. E. Methot, Rector of Laval University, Rev. Louis Colin, superior of the Seminary of Saint Sulpice, Montreal, Rev. J. E. Marcoux, Vice-Rector of Laval University at Montreal, the Honorable P. J. O. Chauveau, Honorable Judge L. A. Jetté, Dr E. P. Lachapelle, and other petitioners, have prayed to be incorporated under the name of the "*Syndicat financier de l'Université Laval à Montréal*", for the purposes aforesaid, that is to say, in the interest of the University education given by Laval University in the city of Montreal;

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

Persons incorporated.
Name.

1. The following persons are constituted a body politic and corporate, under the name of the "*Syndicat financier de l'Université Laval à Montréal*", to wit:

1. The petitioners above named;
2. The members of the Board of Governors, hereinafter mentioned;
3. The professors of Laval University at Montreal;
4. The graduates of Laval University residing in the ecclesiastical province of Montreal, and other graduates of Laval University at Montreal, residing out of the province, who pay an annual contribution of fifty cents or five dollars in a single payment;
5. Subscribers of at least one hundred dollars to the funds of the corporation.

Power to hold &c., property.

2. The corporation shall have power to acquire, either by gift, purchase or lease, hold and administer moveable and immoveable property and to hypothecate, sell or