

## CAP. XXV.

An Act to amend the law respecting Public Instruction.

[Assented to 21st June, 1886.]

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

C. S. L. C., c.  
15, s. 54,  
amended.

1. Section 54 of chapter 15 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada is amended by replacing the words :  
“No such corporation shall, without the express authority of the superintendent of education, alienate any portion of the property held by it,” at the beginning of the said section, by the following words :

Certain authority and approval required for sale &c. of school property.

“No school corporation shall, without the authority of the superintendent of public instruction, approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, hypothecate, alienate, sell or exchange the property belonging to it, nor borrow money thereon for school purposes.”

Id. s. 77  
amended and  
clauses added  
after § 3.

2. Section 77 of the said chapter 15, as amended by section 26 of the act 41 Victoria, chapter 6, is further amended by adding, after subsection 3 of the said section, the following provisions :

Commissioners and trustees may exempt certain unoccupied property from school taxes.

“The school commissioners or trustees, as the case may be, may also, every year, with the authorization of the superintendent, exempt from school taxes any resident rate-payer living more than five miles from the nearest school of his religious belief, provided he does not send his children to such school ;

Exception.

But the proprietors of unoccupied lots cannot in any case take advantage of this provision.”

Coming into force.

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

## CAP. XXVI.

An Act to amend the laws respecting public instruction in this province, so as to establish a board of examiners at Notre-Dame du Lac St. Jean.

[Assented to 21st June, 1886.]

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

C. S. L. C., c.  
15, s. 104,  
amended.

1 Section 104 of chapter 15 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada, as amended by section 2 of the act 46