

Power to grant money to Sherbrooke Free Reading Room.

“ The Corporation of the city of Sherbrooke shall have the power to grant to the Sherbrooke Free Reading Room, annually, a sum of money in aid thereof, not exceeding two hundred dollars.”

Coming into force.

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

## C A P. L X X .

An Act to amend the act to incorporate the city of Hull, 38 Victoria, chapter 79.

[Assented to 9th May, 1885.]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS the corporation of the city of Hull has represented, by its petition, that it has become necessary to amend its charter and to grant it more ample powers for increasing the municipal taxes, for negotiating loans and other purposes, and has prayed for the passing of an act to that effect ; and whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer contained in such petition ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

38 V., c 79, s. 88, § 1, replaced.  
Tax on real estate.

1. Subsection 1 of section 88 of the act 38 Victoria, chapter 79, is repealed and replaced by the following :

“ 1. On all lands, city lots, or parts of city lots, whether there be buildings erected thereon or not, with all buildings and erections thereon, a sum not exceeding one cent in the dollar on their whole value, as entered on the assessment roll of the said city.”

Id. § 2, replaced.

2. Subsection 2 of the same section is repealed and replaced by the following :

Tenant's tax.

“ 2. On every tenant paying rent in the said city an annual sum, equivalent to three cents in the dollar, on the amount or value of such rent.”

Id. § 10, replaced.

3. Subsection 10 of the same section is repealed and replaced by the following :

Poll tax.

“ 10. On each male inhabitant of the age of twenty-one years, who shall be employed at any manual labor, and who shall have resided in the city for one month, and not being a proprietor or tenant, nor an apprentice, nor a domestic servant, an annual sum of one dollar.”

Id. § 12, amended

4. Subsection 12 of the same section is amended by striking out the words “ by a by-law or by-laws ” and replacing