

Savings Banks, the monies belonging to the said board, which he may then have on hand or which may be deposited in some banking institution to his own credit.

How monies
may be drawn
out.

“ 3. None of the monies, so deposited in the name of the board of notaries, can be withdrawn, except upon a cheque or order signed by the president or vice-president and countersigned by the treasurer.”

Pending cases
not affected
and coming
into force of
act.

11. This act shall not affect pending cases and shall come into force on the thirty-first day of May, 1882.

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An Act to render valid certain Notarial deeds.

[Assented to 1st May, 1882.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS by sections 42, 46, 156 and 177 of the notarial act (39 Victoria, chapter 33) combined, it is enacted that a notary, who has not paid the arrears of his contribution, shall not be inscribed upon the roll of notaries and that the consequence of this want of inscription renders the notary in default liable to disciplinary punishments, one of which causes his suspension from office ;

Whereas by section 3 of the statute of this province 40 Victoria, chapter 24, the suspension pronounced by the notarial act is repealed, and such section declares that the deeds passed by notaries not entered upon the roll shall be valid, and that this latter provision was repealed by section 13 of the statute 42-43 Victoria, chapter 35 ;

Whereas, notwithstanding such repeal certain notaries, led into error by the changes in the law in this matter, have continued, although not upon the roll, the exercise of their profession and have passed certain deeds as notaries, in certain parts of the country, and that under the circumstances it is expedient, in the interest of the public at large and in the private interest of the parties to the said deeds and of their representatives, to declare the said deeds valid ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Certain deeds
declared valid.

1. Deeds, so passed since the coming into force of the said statute 42-43 Victoria, chapter 35, up to this day, in any part of the province, are, to all intents and purposes, declared valid, provided that the notaries passing such deeds, were not incapacitated otherwise than above mentioned, that this act shall not have the effect of shielding them from