

4. The members of the corporation, for the time being, or the majority of them, shall have the power of appointing such agents or other persons to administer the property of the corporation, and such officers, administrators, delegates, employees or servants of the corporation, as may be required for the proper management of its affairs and to allow them a reasonable and suitable remuneration ; and all the officers, so appointed, may exercise such other powers and authority, for the management and administration of the affairs of the corporation, as may be conferred upon them by the rules and by-laws thereof.

Appointment and remuneration of agents, officers &c.

Power of such officers.

5. The present officers of the association shall be those of the corporation, constituted by this act, until others are elected, in accordance with the by-laws of the latter.

Present officers retained in office.

6. No sum of money, granted by the corporation under its constitution or any of its by-laws, as aid or assistance to any of its sick members or to the widow or orphans of a deceased member, shall be liable to seizure, either before or after judgment.

Aid &c., not liable to seizure.

7. No person, who is competent to be a witness in any suit or prosecution in which the corporation is a party shall be incompetent as such from the fact that he is a member or an officer of the corporation.

Members not incompetent as witnesses in suits by or against company.

8. The corporation shall be bound to make an annual report to the Lieutenant Governor and to both Houses of the Legislature, containing a general statement of its affairs, which report shall be presented within the first twenty days of each session of the Legislature.

Report to the Legislature.

## C A P . X C V I I .

An Act to incorporate "The Septuor Haydn," of Quebec.

[Assented to 1st May, 1882.]

**W**HEREAS there exists in the city of Quebec an association known by the name of: "The Septuor Haydn," established with the view of promoting the advancement of musical taste and knowledge in this province ; and whereas the members of the said association have, by their petition, prayed that they be incorporated ; and whereas it is expedient to grant their prayer ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Preamble.

Certain persons incorporated.

**1.** Arthur Lavigne, Nazaire LeVasseur, Alfred Paré, Edouard Gauvreau, Fortunat Gauvreau, Louis Napoléon Dufresne, Joseph Edouard Prince, Noble Campbell and George Lemay, and all other persons who are now or may hereafter become members of the Septuor Haydn, of Quebec, shall be and are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate under the name of: "The Septuor Haydn."

Name of the corporation.

Power to acquire, &c., property.

**2.** The said association may, at all times, have, accept, receive, purchase and acquire, hold and possess movable or immovable property, situate in the city of Quebec, necessary for the use and occupation of the said corporation, for the above mentioned purposes, and hypothecate, sell, convey, let or lease the same, or acquire other property instead thereof; provided always that the value of the said property shall not exceed ten thousand dollars.

Proviso.

Power to make by-laws.

**3.** The constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations of the said association, now in force, for the government and administration of the affairs of the said association, in so far as they are not incompatible with the laws of this province, shall be the constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations of the said corporation; but the said corporation may, from time to time, modify, repeal or change the said constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations.

Officers of the corporation.

**4.** The officers of the association shall be those of the corporation, until they be replaced by others, in virtue of the by-laws of the said corporation.

Members not personally responsible.

**5.** No member of the corporation shall be personally responsible for any of the debts of the said corporation.

Employment of revenues, &c.

**6.** The revenues and profits, arising from any and all of the movable and immovable property of the said corporation, shall be appropriated and employed, exclusively, for the use and purposes of the said association, in the construction and repairing of the buildings required by the association and in the payment of the expenses of carrying out the objects of the association.

## C A P . X C V I I I .

An Act to incorporate "The Sherbrooke Turf Club."

[Assented to 1st May, 1882.]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS, Robert G. Leckie, esquire, and other residents of the district of Saint Francis, have