

by-law, the rights and duties of members, and the conduct, in all other particulars, of the affairs of the club; and every copy of any by-law, under the seal of the club and purporting to be signed by any officer of the club, shall be received in all courts of law as *prima facie* evidence of such by-law. Copy of by-laws.

11. The seat or domicile of the club is fixed in the township of Ristigouche; and service upon the corporation may be made at the club-house or establishment on the lands, held by the club in such township, speaking to an officer of the club or to a person employed in such club-house or establishment. Seat of club.

12. The members of the club shall not, as such, be personally responsible for any liability of the club, beyond their shares in the stock thereof. Members not personally responsible for debts.

13. Notwithstanding anything in this act contained, the members, agents, servants, lessees, and grantees of the club shall not pursue and take game and fish during the close seasons, as fixed, from time to time, by law. Members &c. prohibited from infringing game laws.

14. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction. Act in force.

CAP. LXXXIII.

An Act to incorporate "The Quebec Racket Club."

[Assented to 24th July, 1880.]

WHEREAS Henry Stanley Smith, Andrew Charles Stuart, Richard John LeSueur, Arthur Furneaux Hunt, and Daniel McGie, junior, all of the city of Quebec, have, by their petition set forth, that they and divers others, have organized themselves into a society, for the encouragement and practice of athletic exercises, and to that end, have need of an act of incorporation to hold such real estate, in the city of Quebec or elsewhere, as may be requisite for the erection thereon of suitable buildings, comprising a Racket Court and the premises and appliances, for the practice of rackets and of other athletic games and exercises tending to physical development, and for social and literary purposes, and that they are desirous of being so incorporated, under the name of: "The Quebec Racket Club," 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 incor-
porated.

1. The said Henry Stanley Smith, Andrew Charles Stuart, Richard John LeSueur, Arthur Furneaux Hunt, Daniel McGie, junior, and all other persons, who may replace or be united with them, are constituted a body politic and corporate, under the name of: "The Quebec Racket Club."

Name of cor-
poration.

General
powers.

2. The corporation hereby created may acquire, hold, possess and enjoy such real estate, in the city of Quebec, or elsewhere, as may be required for its purposes, not exceeding in value the sum of ten thousand dollars, and may, from time to time, hypothecate, sell or dispose of and replace such real estate by other.

Proviso as to
annual
revenue of
property.

Capital stock.

3. The capital stock of the corporation shall be ten thousand dollars, divided into shares of fifty dollars each, which shares shall be transferable. The affairs shall be managed by a board of five directors, who shall be stockholders, and who shall be elected as shall be provided by the by-laws, to be made by the stockholders. Until directors shall be elected, the persons hereinbefore named shall be the directors of the corporation.

Board of di-
rectors.

Stockholders
not personally
liable for debts

4. No stockholder shall be personally liable, for any debt incurred by the corporation, beyond the unpaid amount of the stock held by him.

1st annual
meeting.

5. The first annual meeting of the stockholders, for the election of directors, the making of by-laws and the transaction of business generally, shall be held on the fourth day of November next, and thereafter, at such times as may be provided by the by-laws.

Power to make
by-laws.

6. The corporation may make by-laws, not contrary to law, for the election of the directors thereof; the subscription and calling in of stock, and the mode of and restrictions upon the transfer or forfeiture of stock; the good government, maintenance and regulation of the real estate and other property; the preservation of order and regularity in the practice of the exercises hereinbefore mentioned; the declaration of dividends; the management of the affairs of the corporation generally; and may amend and repeal such by-laws, from time to time.

Return to
lieutenant
governor in
council.

7. The corporation shall, at all times, when thereunto required by the Lieutenant Governor in council, make a full return of its property, real or personal, and of its receipts and expenditure, for such period and with such details as may be required.