

tion, in such manner as the judge deems proper and most advantageous for the donees and the substitutes, either by purchasing immovable property or by leaving the monies at interest in the hands of the purchaser or purchasers, on the security of the privilege of *bailleur de fonds*.

And in case the purchaser or purchasers should reimburse the purchase price, the monies shall be invested in the manner hereinabove prescribed. Until the judge shall have decided the manner in which such monies shall be invested, the purchaser or purchasers who may desire to pay the purchase price, shall deposit the amount of such price in accordance with the act 35 Vict., Cap. 5, namely the act respecting judicial and other deposits, and such monies shall remain so deposited until the said donees and the curator to the said substitution shall have established before the judge, the manner in which the monies are to be invested and shall have been authorized by the said judge to so invest the said monies. And it shall not be lawful for the said donees or for the curator to the said substitution to withdraw any portion of the capital of the monies so deposited under this act, but the said monies shall be paid over by the Treasurer of the Province of Quebec to the person or persons specified in the judgment authorizing the investment of the said monies.

Investment made in accordance with 35 V., c. 5.

The donees or the curator shall not withdraw any portion of monies.

3. The receipt of the treasurer for the payments made under the preceding section, shall have the same effect as those specified in section 12 of the act 35 Vict., Cap. 5.

Effect of receipt of treasurer.

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

Act in force.

C A P . L I X .

An act to authorize the executor of the wills of the late William Petry the elder and William Petry the younger and the curator to the substitution, created thereunder, to change certain investments now made.

[Assented to 9th March, 1878.]

WHEREAS by the last will and testament of the late William Petry, senior, in his lifetime of the city of Quebec, merchant, deceased, passed before Glackemeyer and colleague, notaries, at Quebec on the thirty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five he did

Preamble.

give, devise and bequeath to his children, issue of his marriage with Maria Gray, by equal portions or shares between them, the use, enjoyment and usufruct of the property, movable and immovable, goods, chattels, effects, monies, credits or other things, comprising his estate after his death, such usufruct, however, to commence for his said children only after the decease of their mother and then to continue to each of them during their natural lives respectively ;

And as to the proprietary right in or to all the property, movable or immovable, goods, chattels, monies, credits or other things which should or might compose his estate or in any wise belong to him at the time of his decease, he did give, devise and bequeath the same to the children which might be born from the said children in lawful marriage by families and not by heads ;

And whereas on the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, William Petry of the city of Quebec, merchant, one of the usufructuary legatees of the said late William Petry, senior, by his last will passed at Quebec before Glackemeyer and colleague, notaries public, did give, devise and bequeath unto his brothers and sister surviving him, the use, enjoyment and usufruct of all the residue of his property (after a certain legacy had been paid) during their natural lives and, as to the proprietary right in all the property generally he might die possessed of, he did give and devise the same unto the children of his brothers and sister namely : the said Wentworth Gray Petry, Reverend Henry James Petry and Gertrude Petry in equal proportion to each family, and did further desire that his estate should merge into and be one with that of his father, deceased, the said late William Petry the elder ; and whereas it is represented by the petition of Wentworth Gray Petry, Reverend Henry James Petry, and Gertrude Petry wife of the Reverend George Henry Parker, the sole surviving usufructuary legatees, that under the said two wills, the executor of the same and the curator to the substitutions thereby created, are unable to change the investment made in bank and other stocks of a fluctuating character ; and whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Change of
investments
permitted.

1. The executor of the wills of the said William Petry the elder and William Petry the younger, is hereby authorized, with the assistance of the curator appointed to the substitution, created by the said wills, to change the investments of the monies of the said estates of the

said William Petry the elder and William Petry the younger, in so far as the same are invested in bank and other fluctuating stocks, to invest the same in Dominion or Provincial Government securities, in security on real estate and for the same purposes as the said wills direct ; subject, however, to the authorization of a judge of the superior court in all cases. Authoriza-
tion required.

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

C A P . L X .

Act to authorize the Board of Notaries to admit Louis Thomas Laroche to the practice of the Notarial Profession.

[Assented to 9th March, 1878.]

WHEREAS Louis Thomas Laroche, of the town of Preamble.
St. Germain de Rimouski, was admitted to the study of the notarial profession, on the second day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine ;

Whereas in virtue of notarial indentures, he has studied the notarial profession under George Théophile Tremblay, notary practising at Quebec, from the twelfth of September one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, up to the fifteenth of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, that is to say, during the period of two years and seven months ; under Sifroy Laroche, notary practising in the town of St. Germain de Rimouski, from the tenth of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, up to this date ;

Whereas it was merely through error and forgetfulness that the said Louis Thomas Laroche, omitted to have his indentures and transfer of indentures registered at the office of one of the secretaries of the board of notaries ;

And whereas, if there has been an intermission in the studies of the said Louis Thomas Laroche, he has nevertheless studied under the above mentioned patrons during periods of time, which united form a longer term than that required by law, that is to say during nearly six years ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. The Board of Notaries, and the examiners thereof Admission
may, at their next meeting, or at any time, admit the shall be law-