

the said property shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars, exclusive of the buildings necessary for the said community, and the land upon which the same are or may be built.

Use of the
revenues.

2. Provided always that the rents, revenues and profits arising from every description of moveable and immoveable property belonging to the said community, shall be appropriated and used solely for the purposes of the said community.

Power to
make by-
laws.

3. The said community shall have full power and authority from time to time, to make by-laws and rules (not contrary to this act or the laws of this province) for the government of the said community, and for the management and administration of all the moveable and immoveable property belonging or which may hereafter belong to the said corporation.

Quorum.

4. Three members of the said corporation, the superior, the assistant, and the depositary, shall constitute a quorum for the establishment of rules and by-laws, and for the transaction of all business of the corporation.

Agent or
attorney.

5. The said quorum may appoint an agent or attorney, and remove him at pleasure, and appoint another in his place to represent the said corporation, and take charge of and defend the interests thereof before any court of justice, and this by a simple delegation signed by the persons forming the said quorum; and it is understood that the powers of such agent or attorney shall extend only to the matters, and for the purposes mentioned in such delegation and to no other or further purposes.

Their powers.

Report to the
legislature.

6. It shall be the duty of the said corporation, when thereunto required by the lieutenant-governor, to submit to His Excellency, and to each branch of the legislature of this province, a detailed statement of the funded and real property held and owned by them under the present act.

CAP. LXXXIV.

An Act to incorporate the congregation of the nuns
“*Carmélites déchaussées de Rimouski.*”

[Assented to 24th December, 1875.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS there is now at Saint Germain de Rimouski a congregation of *Religieuses Carmélites déchaussées*, with a noviciate formed, under authority of *Monseigneur* the Bishop of St. Germain de Rimouski;

And whereas the said *religieuses* have represented that it is necessary that they be incorporated civilly, as well to receive the gift and grant of the convent and lands which they now occupy in the town of St. Germain de Rimouski, which the said bishop has promised to give them by a formal deed of donation, as to secure to their convent the necessary revenue which it requires, and whereas great advantages would arise from establishing this community on a sure basis, it is expedient to grant the prayer of their petition; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. Mesdames Anna Teresa Mudd, known as *Sœur Joseph* Incorporation.
du Cœur de Jésus, prioress of the said convent, Anna Maria Fitzpatrick, known as *Sœur Michel de Jésus-Marie-Joseph*, sub-prioress, Marie Antoinette Langevin, known as *Sœur Tèrese de Jésus*, Elizabeth Repig, known as *Sœur Marie de l'Incarnation* and Joséphine Parent, known as *Sœur Jean du Sacré-Cœur*, novice de cœur, and all other persons who may hereafter become members of the said convent, in conformity with its rules and under the authority of the said bishop, shall be and are, by this present act, constituted a body politic and corporate under the name of "*Carmélites déchaussées de Rimouski.*" and under such Name.
 name shall have perpetual succession and a common Seal.
 seal, and for the end and purpose of the said convent may acquire, have, possess, accept and receive, for themselves Power to acquire, &c.,
 and their successors; any moveable and immoveable property which may hereafter be sold, ceded, given and bequeathed to and for the uses and purposes of the said convent, and the same to sell and lease, and to acquire others in their place for the same purposes.

2. Provided always that the rents, revenues and profits, arising from any moveable or immoveable property Use of the revenues.
 of any kind, belonging to the said convent, shall be exclusively appropriated and employed for the purposes thereof and for the payment of the expenses which may be incurred for legitimate objects relating to the above mentioned purposes; provided always that the annual revenue of Revenues limited.
 such properties does not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars.

3. The said convent, as a corporation, shall have full Power to make by-laws.
 power and authority to make, from time to time, rules and by-laws (not contrary to the present act or to the laws of this province), for the government of the said corporation and for the admission of persons into the said convent, and for their rejection, in conformity with their rules and by-laws, and the same to amend.

Report to the
legislature.

4. The said corporation shall be obliged to report upon the state of its affairs to the lieutenant-governor in council annually, twenty days before the meeting of the legislature.

C A P . L X X X V .

An act to authorize the roman catholic bishop, or the roman catholic episcopal corporation of Montreal, to sell an immoveable destined by the will of the Reverend Louis Marie Lefebvre, for the establishment of an hospital in the parish of Ste. Geneviève.

[Assented to 24th December, 1875.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS by his will in authentic form, received at Montreal before Mtres. E. Moreau and A. Lyonnais, notaries, on the 27th of august, 1861, the Reverend messire Louis Marie Lefebvre, then *curé* of Ste. Geneviève, in the district of Montreal, and now deceased, bequeathed to His Grace the roman catholic bishop of Montreal, and to his successors in the said episcopal see, a lot of one hundred arpents in superficies, with a house and other dependencies, situated in the said parish of Ste. Geneviève, on condition that the said legatee should convert the said house into an hospital or house of refuge, for aged and infirm persons; the said house to be, if possible, placed under the management of the *Religieuses de la Providence* or of the *Dames Grises* of Montreal;

Whereas by an olograph codicil of the said testator made at Ste. Genevieve on the 1st of july, 1869, duly admitted to probate and verified before the prothonotary of the superior court for Lower Canada, for the district of Montreal, on the 11th of april, 1872, the said Reverend Louis Marie Lefebvre substituted for the said *Dames Grises* and *de la Providence*, the *Dames Religieuses de Ste. Anne* of Lachine, seeing that they already had a convent in the said parish of Ste. Geneviève;

And whereas the said *Dames religieuses de Ste. Anne* of Lachine cannot accept the management of the said hospital or house of refuge, and the burden of maintaining the same, unless it be united to the house already possessed by them in the said parish; and whereas for this purpose, and to assure the maintenance and prosperity of the said hospital or house of refuge, and thus to fulfil more efficaciously the intentions of the testator, it is expedient to sell the said immoveable and to apply the price thereof to the support of the said institution; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows: