

pleasure, and to appoint another to the office ; and they shall submit an annual statement of their affairs to the two branches of the legislature, within the fifteen days following the opening of each session.

Report to the Legislature.

3. The said administrators shall constitute a board, and may appoint a president, who, in the event of an equal division of votes, shall have the casting vote.

Board of administrators ; president.

4. All proceedings issuing from any court, in this province, relating to the said *Orphélinat*, may be served on the president, or secretary or agent ; and the last named and each of them are authorized to affix the seal of the said corporation to any deed or deeds and documents requiring that such seal be affixed thereto.

How proceedings shall be served.

5. The said administrators may borrow any sum of money that they may deem necessary for the purposes above named, provided always that such loans shall not exceed the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, and they may hypothecate the immovables of the corporation to secure the re-imbusement of the said loan with interest.

Loans limited.

## C A P.   X X X V I I I .

An Act to incorporate “ *L'Hopital du Sacré Cœur de Jésus, at Quebec.* ”

[Assented to 28th January, 1874.]

WHEREAS there exists at Quebec a charitable institution under the name of “ *L'Hôpital du Sacré Cœur de Jésus,* ” established with the object of receiving and succouring poor people, diseased, aged and infirm persons, as also orphans, and deserted children and foundlings, without distinction of religion or nationality ; and whereas, the managers hereinafter mentioned of the said hospital have, by their petition, prayed that the said institution be incorporated ; and whereas, by reason of the great advantages which would result therefrom, 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

1. Mesdames Joseph-Marie-Louise Rousseau, styled sister Saint Zéphirin, Marie-Marguerite Rocheleau *dit* L'Espérance, styled sister Saint Antoine, Julie-Vitaline Rousseau, styled sister Sainte-Anastasie, Marie-Joséphine Thomas *dit* Bigaouette, styled sister Saint Jean-Baptiste, and Charlotte Berry, styled sister Saint François-de-Sales, now members

Certain persons incorporated.

Name of the  
institution.

General  
powers.

To what ob-  
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applied.

Power to make  
by-laws.

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of the said institution, and all other persons who may hereafter become members thereof, shall be and they are hereby declared to be a body politic and corporate, in fact and in law, under the name of "*L'Hôpital du Sacré Cœur de Jésus, at Quebec,*" and under such name shall have perpetual succession and a common seal, and may for the purposes and ends of the said institution acquire, have, possess, accept and receive for themselves and their successors, all movable and immovable property which may be hereafter sold, assigned, given and bequeathed to the said institution, for the use and objects thereof, and may sell and lease the same, and acquire others in lieu thereof for the same objects, and all the property now possessed by the said institution, or by any other persons for the said institution, shall become and be the property of the institution, from the day of the passing of this act; provided that the annual value of the said property does not exceed ten thousand dollars, not including the buildings necessary for the purposes of the said hospital and the grounds on which they are or may be erected.

**2.** Provided always, that the rents, revenues, and profits of all property, real or personal, held by the said institution, shall be appropriated and applied solely to the purposes of the said institution, and the payment of the expenses to be incurred for objects legitimately connected with or depending on the purposes aforesaid.

**3.** The said institution shall have full power and authority to make, from time to time, by-laws and statutes (not contrary to the present act or to the laws of this province,) for the government of the said institution, and the officers and servants belonging thereto, and for the admission of persons to the said hospital, and their refusal when it is deemed necessary, and for placing under articles of apprenticeship or in any healthy occupation or trade, young people of either sex admitted into such hospital, and for exercising over them and in relation to them, the same powers which their parents themselves might have exercised had they been under their control.

**4.** And whereas it is necessary that the said hospital be detached from the parish of Saint Sauveur, in which it is actually situated, and that it, together with its dependencies, be erected into a parish; and whereas it is expedient to avoid the expenses of civil erection, through the commissioners empowered so to do, therefore, the said hospital, its buildings, chapel, circumstances and dependencies, together with the limits and area comprising the territory on which the said hospital is built, and the lands depending thereon,

measuring three acres and three quarters in front or thereabout, by ten acres or thereabout in depth, bounded in front by Saint Valier street, in rear by the river Saint Charles, on one side towards the north-east by Félix Bigaouette, and on the other side towards the south-west by the heirs Langlois, and containing thirty-seven acres and one-half, or thereabout, in superficies, shall be, and they are hereby detached from the said parish of Saint Sauveur, and erected into a parish under the name of "the Parish of Notre-Dame du Sacré Cœur," for all civil purposes, as amply and with the same effect as if the same had been erected by the commissioners empowered so to do, under the laws in force in relation thereto.

5. It shall be the duty of the said institution, when thereunto required by the lieutenant-governor, to transmit to his excellency, and to each branch of the legislature, a detailed statement of the property and estate, real and personal, possessed by it under this act. Report to the legislature.

## CAP. XXXIX.

An Act to incorporate the Male Institution for the Catholic Deaf and Dumb of the Province of Quebec.

[Assented to 28th January, 1874.]

**W**HEREAS this institution has existed for twenty years, and has afforded education to more than two hundred deaf mutes; and whereas it is expedient to accede to the prayer of the managers thereof, asking that it be incorporated; Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows: Preamble.

1. The Roman catholic bishop of the diocese in which shall be established the deaf and dumb institution, the director of the community of parish clerks or catechists of St. Viator, the director of the said deaf and dumb institution, the procurator thereof, and their successors for ever, in their respective offices, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate under the name of "The male institution for the catholic deaf and dumb of the province of Quebec," together with all persons who, at any time whatever, shall have been affiliated by the majority of the members then constituting the corporation, and also together with one of the professors of such institution, appointed from time to time, by such majority. Corporation. Name.