

is desirable to amend their act of incorporation, for the better attainment of the objects of their association ; 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 :

Sec. 2, 34 Vict.
c. 57, amend-
ed.

1. The second section of the act of this province, thirty-fourth Victoria, chapter fifty-seven, intituled : " An Act to incorporate the Women's Hospital of Montreal, " is hereby amended, so as to read, as follows :

Board of
directors.

" 2. For the supervision of the general affairs of the said corporation, there shall be a board of governors, which shall be composed, of not more than twelve governors, who shall be elected annually from amongst and by subscribers, who have subscribed and paid not less than five dollars for the year current, at the time of election, by a vote to be taken in such manner, and at such time, as may be determined by the by-laws, which may be enacted by the said corporation for that purpose,—and also of life governors who shall have subscribed and paid not less than one hundred dollars, and who shall, thereafter continue to subscribe and pay annually not less than five dollars."

CAP. XLII.

An Act to extend the limits of the Municipality of the Village of Ste. Thérèse de Blainville, in the County of Terrebonne.

[Assented to 28th January, 1874.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS by petition it hath been represented to the Legislature, that the extension of the limits of the municipality of the village of Ste. Thérèse de Blainville, in the county of Terrebonne, in the district of Terrebonne, as hereinafter designated, would be of great public advantage ; and whereas the proprietors of the lands comprised within the extension of the said limits, consent that the said extension should be granted, and whereas notice of such demand has been published at the door of the parish church of the said municipality, and all persons have received notice ; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

New limits of
the municipa-
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lage of Ste.
Thérèse.

1. The limits of the municipality of the village of Ste. Thérèse de Blainville, in the county of Terrebonne, in the district of Terrebonne, shall, after the coming into force of this act, be as follows, to wit : the said limits shall be made by a line starting at the south of the said village, between

the lands of the reverend Mr. George Thibault and David Morris, (Piché,) such line shall run towards the east of the village for a distance of five arpents and one hundred and sixty-eight feet, English measure; at this point the said line shall cross, forming an angle of 90° , the land of the said reverend Mr. George Thibault to that of Jérémie Deschambault. On the last named land, the said line shall follow the old limits of the said village; leaving the said property, the line shall run between the land last named and that of Abraham Dubois, for a length of thirteen arpents and one hundred and four feet towards the east, as far as the base road of the *Côte Cachée*, exclusively. Thence the said line follows the said road in a north-easterly direction, crosses first a property belonging to Abraham Dubois, next the land belonging to David Constant, also, another property belonging to the said Abraham Dubois, for a length in all of four arpents; it next crosses the by-road (*Sanche*) in a direction south-west to north-east, dividing the land of Abraham Dubois, on a length of six arpents; thence it shall pass between the last named land and that of Thomas Mathe in a direction from east to west, shall run as far as the *Rivière aux Chiens*, and shall then pass to the north of the said river, between the lands of Jean Beauchamp and the succession Monk, as far as the base road, for a length of ten arpents and one hundred and thirty feet. At the north of the said road, it shall follow from west to east the land of the seminary of Ste. Thérèse and the land of the Anglican church up to the line between the last named land and that of Joseph Ouimet or Louis Bertrand, for a length of about one hundred and thirty-five feet, and from the said base road, the said line shall pass between the two lands last named for a distance of eleven arpents, and at this point it shall cross the said land of the seminary of Ste. Thérèse from east to west, as far as the line of the old limits upon another land of the said seminary of Ste. Thérèse, defined by a proclamation fixing the ancient limits of the said village as belonging to the Roman Catholic bishop of the diocese of Montreal. Thence, the said line shall follow the old limits to the starting point hereinabove described, between the land of the reverend George Thibault and that of David Morris, as the whole appears by a plan produced and filed of record in the archives of the legislative assembly of this province.

2. The taxable real estates included in the territory annexed to the municipality of the said village by this act, after the coming into force thereof, shall be exempt from the debts and obligations contracted by the municipality of the parish of St. Thérèse de Blainville before the present change of limits; and the same shall become, after the coming into

The real property of the territory annexed shall be discharged from the former obligations of the municipality

of the parish, but shall be subject to those of the village.

force of this act, liable for debts and obligations contracted by the municipality of the said village before the coming into force of this act; provided always, that the resolutions and deed of agreement mentioned in the two following sections be made.

Indemnity payable to the municipality of the parish by that of the village, how fixed within six months.

3. Within a delay of six months from the coming into force of this act, the said municipal council of the said village and the council of the said parish shall proceed, by resolution, to fix and determine the indemnity to be paid by the corporation of the said village to the corporation of the said parish, as compensation for the exemption granted by this act to the taxable real property situated in the territory annexed to the said village, of the charges and obligations chargeable upon the said territory before the said annexation. And the said indemnity to be so paid shall be an amount equivalent and equal to that due or payable before the said annexation, to the municipal corporation of the said parish by the proprietors of the said taxable real property included in the territory annexed to the said village by this act; the amount of annual tax, if it be an annual tax, to be fixed upon the valuation roll in force at the time of the passing of this act.

Amount of said indemnity.

Deed of agreement required

4. Upon the resolutions adopted as provided in the preceding section, a deed of agreement shall be entered into, establishing the sum and the nature of the sum to be paid as aforesaid by the corporation of the municipality of the said village, to the corporation of the municipality of the said parish; and thereupon the taxable real property situated in the territory annexed to the said village, shall cease to be liable for the charges and obligations for which it had been liable before the present change of limits; but it shall become liable for the same charges and obligations for which the other taxable real property, situated in the municipality of the said village, shall or may become liable.

CAP. XLIII.

An Act to divide the Municipality of the Magdalen Islands into three separate local Municipalities.

[Assented to 28th January, 1874.]

Preamble.

CONSIDERING that the council of the municipality of the Magdalen Islands has prayed that an act be passed to divide that municipality into three separate local municipalities, and that it is expedient to grant the prayer of

