

the trust for the benefit of whomsoever it may concern ; and the said Mount Royal cemetery company, shall have the right and be entitled as such trustee, to claim, take, have and receive all moneys so deposited, or to be deposited, with the prothonotary of the said superior court as well those representing the value thereof as those awarded, or to be awarded, for the removal of the bodies remaining in the said old ground, to be, by the said Mount Royal cemetery company, as such trustee, used, applied and disposed of, in accordance with the just rights and interests of all who may have any claims thereon or thereto, under the original trust, and in accordance with the purposes for which the said moneys or any part thereof were so deposited before the superior court, and to do and perform all and whatsoever may be requisite and necessary to be done to attain those objects.

Old burial grounds to be free from taxation until all the bodies therein have been removed.

2. And whereas, the said old Protestant burial grounds, have by reason of the said ordinance or by-law of the corporation of the said city of Montreal, so prohibiting intramural interments ceased to be of any use, or available in any respect to the said trustees or their constituents for the purposes for which they were acquired, namely as burial grounds, the said grounds are hereby declared to have thereby become and to be exempt from liability for assessments or taxes of every nature or kind from and since the passing of the said by-law prohibiting intramural interments, until the bodies therein interred shall have been all removed therefrom, and the ground shall have become useful and available for building or other purposes.

C A P . L X V I I I .

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate "The Trafalgar Institute."

[Assented to 24th December, 1872.]

Preamble.

35 V., c. 43.

WHEREAS "The Trafalgar Institute" has, by its petition, prayed to obtain certain amendments to the act of incorporation, thirty-fifth Victoria, chapter forty-three; and whereas it is expedient to legislate in the premises; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

Additional members may be elected.

1. Additional members of the corporation under the act may be elected in the manner following: Every subscriber

of one thousand dollars to the endowment fund of the corporation, shall have one vote in the appointment of elective members, and an additional vote for each additional sum of the same amount, and for every twenty such votes one member may be elected by the subscribers.

2. So soon as the subscription paid in shall amount to twenty times the above value, and for each additional twenty, notice shall be given to the subscribers by circular or advertisement, in, at least, two newspapers published in Montreal, of which one in the English language, and the other in the French language, to meet at some suitable time and place for the election of a member or members, at which meeting a member of the corporation shall preside, or should no member be present, a chairman shall be elected by the meeting, and the secretary of the corporation, or a temporary secretary appointed in his absence, shall record the votes and communicate the same to the corporation at their next meeting; members so elected must be and continue to be members of some Protestant denomination whatever in the province of Quebec, and shall hold office until death or resignation.

Meeting for election of members.

3. When a vacancy shall occur in the number of elective members, the corporation shall, at its next meeting, appoint a meeting of the subscribers before mentioned for the filling of such vacancy by election. Failing such election, the corporation shall itself proceed to elect a fit and proper person, keeping in view, so far as possible, the representation of the several Protestant denominations of the province of Quebec, in the corporation, and any subscriber of five thousand dollars, may, by deed or will, transfer his right of election to another person, but such transfer shall be made known in writing to the corporation, and shall be approved by them and entered in their list of subscribers.

Meetings for election of members to fill vacancies.

4. The corporation may receive subscriptions conferring upon the subscribers the right to nominate students for free tuition, or free board, on such terms as may be agreed on, but such subscriptions shall not entitle the donors to votes in the election of members, so long as the institute is burdened with the obligation to provide such scholarships, and it shall be lawful for the corporation to refuse any subscriptions to the institute if burdened with conditions which they may regard as either inconvenient or injurious.

Corporation may receive subscription, conferring rights to nominate students for scholarships.