

of Quebec or Ontario, and may also invest their funds on the security of hypothecs on real estate in the province of Quebec, and the said board shall have power, from time to time to vary, alter or renew any of the investments made or to be made by them, in manner aforesaid.

2. Any real estate within the province of Quebec, which having been hypothecated to the board may become the property of the board by purchase at Sheriff's sale or otherwise, in order to the protection of the interest therein of the said board, shall be sold within five years from the time when the same becomes the property of the said corporation, and if sold within the said period of five years, shall not revert to the party from whom the same came to the corporation, or to his or her heirs, devisees or other representatives, anything in the said act to the contrary notwithstanding.

Power to purchase at sheriff's sale property hypothecated to the board.

C A P. L X X V I I .

An Act to incorporate the Brothers of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul of Montreal.

[Assented to 5th April, 1869.]

WHEREAS there exists, since the month of February, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, in the city of Montreal, a religious society, under the name of "The Brothers of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul," whose object is to receive, wait upon and support poor, aged and infirm men, to give shelter to vagrant and deserted boys, to instruct them and teach them to earn their living, and to perform other similar works of charity, such as the taking care of insane persons and others; and whereas the said community, through their superior and the principal officers hereinafter named, by their petition to the legislature, pray that they be incorporated in order to increase the advantages and usefulness of such an institution; and whereas it is just to grant the said petition; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows: Preamble.

1. The superior of the aforesaid community, his first and second assistant, the vicar of the said community, the master of the novices, the purveyor, and all other persons who, in conformity with the provisions of the present act, shall become members of the aforesaid institution, shall be and, by the present act, are constituted a body politic and corporate, under the name of "The Brothers of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul of Montreal"; and under the said name may, at any time, acquire by purchase, donation, legacy, or otherwise, and possess, for all the purposes of

The community incorporated.

the present act, immoveable property situate in the province of Quebec, and whose annual value shall not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars, and may, likewise, sell, hypothecate, alienate, transfer or lease the same at such prices and on such conditions as they may think fit.

Power to make regulations.

2. The said corporation shall have full power to make and establish such rules, orders and regulations, not inconsistent with the laws of the province, or the provisions of the present act, as it shall consider useful and necessary, for the charitable purposes contemplated by this act, for which it is created, or for the government of the community, and the administration and management of all moveable and immoveable property belonging or which may belong to the said corporation; and five of the members of the said corporation, the superior included, and by right presiding, shall compose the council of administration.

Council of administration.

Power to appoint managers and officers, &c.

3. The members of the said corporation for the time being, or the majority of them, shall have power to appoint administrators or managers for the administration of the property of the corporation, and such officers, managers, administrators or servants of the said corporation, as may be required for the due management of the affairs thereof, and to allow to them respectively a reasonable and suitable remuneration; and all officers so appointed shall have the right to exercise such other powers and authority, for the due management and administration of the affairs of the said corporation, as may be conferred upon them by the regulations and by-laws of the said corporation.

Yearly reports to be furnished to Legislature.

4. The said corporation shall transmit every year to the lieutenant-governor, and to both branches of the legislature, detailed reports of all property which it possesses under the authority of the present act, and all revenues arising therefrom, which reports shall be presented during the first twenty days of each session of the legislature.

C A P . L X X V I I I .

An Act to incorporate "La Maison Saint-Joseph du Sault au Récollet."

[Assented to 5th April, 1869.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS Louis Saché, superior, Sébastien Futsch, Senan Mangan, Jean Paffé and Nicolas Paradise, of *La Maison St. Joseph du Sault au Récollet*, have by their petition to the legislature of the province of Quebec, set forth, that an institution having for object, the education of young people as teachers and missionaries, has been

