

Fees on  
marriages, &c.  
how regulated.

XIV. And be it enacted, That the fees on marriages, baptisms, and other services of the Church of the like nature, and the charges payable on breaking the ground in the cemeteries or church-yards and in the said Churches or Chapels for burying the dead, shall be regulated by the Bishop of the Diocese, or such other person as he may appoint as ordinary. 5

What may be  
done at  
meetings of  
the corpora-  
tion.

XV. And be it enacted, That at all meetings of the said Corporation, any business whatsoever may be legally transacted by the majority of those present, but no business connected with their duties shall be transacted, except at a meeting duly convened by the Rector or Incumbent. 10

By-laws to be  
made by the  
Vestry and  
Corporation.

XVI. And be it enacted, That it shall be in the power of the members of such Vestries, and of the said Corporation, by the majority of those present at any meetings as aforesaid, to make By-laws for the regulation of their proceedings and the management of the Temporalities of the Church, Chapel or Parish to which they belong, so as that the same be not repugnant to this Act, nor contrary to the canons of the said United Church of England and Ireland. 15 20

Authority of  
Bishop of  
Quebec under  
6 Geo. 4, and  
other powers  
vested in  
Bishop of  
Montreal.

XVII. And be it enacted, That all duties, powers and authority conferred upon the Bishop of Quebec, for the time being, by an Act of the Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the sixth year of the Reign of His late Majesty, George the Fourth, intituled "An Act to provide for the extinction of Feudal and Signiorial rights and burdens on lands held *à titre de Fief* and *à titre de cens* in the Province of Lower Canada, and for the gradual conversion of those Tenures into the Tenure of free and common soccage, and for other purposes relating to the said Province," so far as the provisions of the same have reference to lands situated within the said Diocese of Montreal; and all duties, powers and authority relating to matters within the said Diocese of Montreal conferred upon the Bishop of Quebec by any other Act or Acts, or by any authority whatever, and all or any office or offices within the said Diocese of Montreal conferred upon the Bishop of Quebec and his successors in office, in his and their official capacities, by any Act or Acts, charter or charters, or by any authority whatever, shall devolve upon, and be exercised and held by the Bishop of Montreal and his successors in office; and all acts done and performed by the Bishop of Montreal or his successors in office, in the performance of such duties, in the exercise of such power and authority, or in the performance of the duties of such office or offices, shall be valid and effectual in as full and ample a manner as if he were Bishop of Quebec aforesaid. 25 30 35 40 45 50