

stock books hereinbefore referred to, and shall remain in office until the fifteenth day of July next following their election, and until such time as their successors in office shall be duly elected; and immediately upon such election being held the functions of the said Provisional Directors shall cease.

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Chief place of
business.

4. The chief place or seat of business of the said Corporation, shall be in the City of Montreal.

34 V., c. 5, to
apply.

5. The Act thirty-fourth Victoria, chapter five, intituled, "*An Act relating to Banks and Banking*," and all the provisions thereof, shall apply to the bank hereby incorporated in the same manner as if it were expressly incorporated with this Act, excepting in so far as such provisions may relate only to banks already in existence or to banks *en commandite*.

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Treasury certi-
ficate to be
obtained.

6. The said bank shall obtain from the Treasury Board within twelve months from and after the passing of this Act the certificate required by section seven of the said "*Act relating to Banks and Banking*," passed in the thirty-fourth year of Her Majesty's reign, chapter five, in default of which this Act shall become and be null and void and of no effect, and the charter hereby granted, and all and every the rights and privileges thereby conferred shall be forfeited.

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Duration of
Act.

7. This Act shall remain in force until the first day of July, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.