

place in the Reading-Room of the Corporation: Provided always, that neither the said Constitution nor the said By-laws shall be repugnant to this Act or to the laws of the Province: And provided also, that the present By-laws and Constitution of the Association shall be the By-laws and Constitution of the Corporation hereby established; until they be annulled, altered or amended; as aforesaid.

Proviso.

Proviso: present Constitution, &c. continued until altered, &c.

Members to pay an annual contribution.

VI. And be it enacted, That the members of the said Corporation, whether they shall have been such prior to or after the passing of this Act, shall pay an annual contribution to be fixed by the Board of Management, which contribution if not duly paid, may be recovered by the Corporation in any Court having jurisdiction in civil cases to the amount.

Non-liability of Members.

VII. And be it enacted, That the members of the said Corporation shall not be personally liable for any debts of the said Corporation.

Present officers continued until others elected.

VIII. And be it enacted, That the officers and members of the Board of Management of the said Association shall be and remain the officers and members of the Board of Management of the Corporation hereby established until the first annual election of such officers and members under this Act; and the property of the said Association shall on the passing of this Act become and be the property of the said Corporation, and the debts and liabilities of the said Association shall become and be the debts and liabilities of the said Corporation, which shall be and is hereby substituted in the place of the said Association to all intents and purposes.

Property and liability of the Association transferred to the Corporation.

Public Act.

IX. And be it enacted, That this Act shall be held to be a Public Act, and as such shall be judicially noticed by all Judges, Justices of the Peace and others whom it may concern, without being specially pleaded.