in the preceding articles, security by a guarantee insurance contract or policy in favor of the said school commissioners or trustees, in any insurance company incorporated for that purpose and approved by the said school commissioners or trustees and by the superintendent of public instruction;

"Such consent is given by resolution adopted by the school com-

missioners or trustees.

The premium on the guarantee insurance policy may be paid by the school commissioners or trustees, and afterwards retained by them out of the salary or remuneration of the secretary-treasurer.

"The provisions of this article apply to the assistant-secretary-

treasurer appointed under article 2113."

Article 2131 of the said Revised Statutes is amended by striking out, in the seventh and eighth lines of the first paragraph, the words: "during the course of the two months which shall follow their appointment."

Article 2146 of the said Revised Statutes is amended by replacing

the words "may cause" in the first line by the words "may order."
Articles 1865, 1866, 1867, 1868, 2011, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2035 and 2075 of the said Revised Statutes are amended by striking out the words "in council" wherever found therein.

Article 1973 of the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec, as replaced by the Act 52 Victoria, chapter 24, section 2, is amended by adding after the words "take place," at the end of the ninth line, the following words: "The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide that the changes so made shall apply to the religious majority only, or to the religious minority only, as the case may require, of the school municipalities affected by such changes, and"

Article 1997 of the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec, is

amended by adding thereto the following paragraph:

"Such meeting is held at the place which may have been fixed by resolution of the school commissioners or trustees, within the municipality itself, or in a neighboring city, town or village municipality, if such city, town or village municipality forms part of the same parish or township."

Sections 1 to 5 inclusive, of chapter 15 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada, hereinabove recited, are hereby declared to have never been effete or repealed, and are still in force, notwithstanding any of the provisions of the Act of this Legislature 51-52 Victoria,

chapter 13.

Section 4 of the Act 51-52 Victoria, chapter 13, is repealed and

replaced by the following:

"4. Out of any public moneys at his disposal, the Lieutenant-Governor may pay the sum of sixty-two thousand, nine hundred and sixty-one dollars (\$62,961.00) to the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction for Protestant Superior Education in