

porated under  
the name of  
"The St. Pat-  
rick's Society  
of Quebec" and  
certain powers  
granted to  
them.

May hold per-  
sonal property  
to any amount  
and real estate  
of the yearly  
value of  
£1000.

named and such other persons as are now members of the said Society or shall hereafter become members thereof under the provisions of this Act and the By-laws made or in force under the authority thereof, shall 5  
be and they are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of *The St. Patrick's Society of Quebec*, and shall by that name have perpetual succession and a common seal, with power to change the same 10  
at pleasure, and may sue and be sued in all Courts of Law or Equity, and may acquire and hold personal property to any amount, and immovable property not exceeding in yearly value one thousand pounds currency, 15  
and may alienate the same and acquire other such property instead thereof, not exceeding the value aforesaid, and shall have such other powers as may be necessary to carry this Act into effect according to its true intent and 20  
meaning; and all property real and personal now belonging to the Society aforesaid, or held in trust for the said Society or for the use thereof, shall, after the passing of this Act, become the property of the Corpora- 25  
tion hereby constituted; and all debts due to and obligations contracted in favour of the said Society, or any officer of the Society or other person acting on behalf thereof, shall from the same time be deemed to be due 30  
and to have been contracted in favor of the said Corporation; and all debts due from and obligations contracted by the said Society or by any officer or person acting on behalf thereof, shall from the same time be deemed 35  
to be due from and to have been contracted by the said Corporation; and all such property, debts and obligations may be sued for, recovered and enforced, by or against the said Corporation; and any member of the 40  
said Society (not being personally interested in the suit) may be a witness for or against the said Corporation.

Property to be  
derived from

II. Provided always, and he it enacted,  
That the said Corporation shall have no 45