

An Act to incorporate the Lachute College.

WHEREAS a number of the principal inhabitants of the Village of Lachute and others in the County of Vandreuil, have represented, that in order to the well working of a certain educational establishment commenced in the Village of Lachute, and for the greater advantage of Education in the said County, it is desirable that certain persons should be incorporated under the name of "The Lachute College;" And whereas it is expedient to grant their prayer, inasmuch as such incorporation would be advantageous to the welfare and progress of Education, as well in the said localities in particular, as for the country in general; Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

Preamble.

1. John Meikle, Thos. Christie, Rev. Thomas Henry, Rev. Walter Scott, Rev. James Bishop, Thomas Lockie, Thomas Pollock, John McAllister, and Thomas Morrison, all of the Village of Lachute, in the County of Vandreuil, and such other persons as shall, under the provisions of this Act, succeed them in the offices, duties, and obligations which they shall perform and hold under this Act, shall be and they are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate in deed and in name, by the name of "The Lachute College," and shall, by the same name, from time to time and at all times hereafter, be able and capable to enter into contracts generally, and to purchase, acquire, hold, possess, exchange, sell, accept, and receive for them and their successors, to and for the uses and purposes of the said Corporation; any lands, tenements, hereditaments situate in this Province, or any constituted rents in money, also in this Province, the net annual revenue, or annual rents whereof shall not exceed five hundred pounds currency, and to sell, and alienate the same, and acquire others by any title whatsoever for the same purposes; and they shall have full power and authority to make and establish such By-laws, Rules, and Regulations, as they shall think proper for the government of the said College, which shall not be altered or repealed otherwise than in such manner and by such number of votes as they shall have determined, in making and establishing the same, at the general meetings of the Corporation, which are to be called by the Secretary-Treasurer, (hereafter to be appointed,) by order of the President or three of the Directors, and at which any seven members shall form a Quorum, and be entitled to pass Resolutions and give decisions, adopt plans and measures, and put the same into execution, in order to promote and advance Education, for which purpose they are constituted a Corporation as aforesaid: Provided always, that nothing in the aforesaid By-laws, Rules and Regulations, Decisions, Plans and measures, shall be contrary to this Act or to the laws in force in this Province.

Certain persons incorporated.

Corporate name and general powers.

Real property limited.

By-laws.

Quorum of Directors.

Proviso.

II. Provided always, that all the rents, revenues, issues and profits whatsoever, of the said Corporation, shall be appropriated and exclusively applied to the support of the said College, the welfare of Education, and to

Funds to be devoted solely to education.