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PUBLIC NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the City of St. Hyacinthe will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec at its next session to obtain the following amendments to its charter:

1.—That section 5638 of the Quebec Revised Statutes 1909 concerning the rules for protection of person and property, be a part of its charter.

2.—To amend paragraph 21 of section 5639 of the Quebec Revised Statutes 1909, declared to be a part of the charter of the City by section 16, Geo. V., chap, 86, and to replace section 46 Vict. 58, chap. 52, maintained by section 18, chap. 95; 5 Geo. V. in such a manner that the said City of St. Hyacinthe may have the following powers:—

"The City Council will have the right to impose a special tax on all landowners of the said city to meet the costs of opening, completing and maintaining streets or parts of streets, and completing and maintaining sidewalks, canals and sewers, as well as the cost of lighting streets, public places and municipal buildings, such tax to be based on the assessment roll of real estate property then in vogue.

"As far as it concerns the costs of opening and completing streets or parts of streets less the real cost of the land, the construction of pavings, sidewalks, canals or sewers, fifty per cent of the cost of the said works will be charged to the owners of riverside properties from one side or both sides of the street, according to the frontage of their property before which the said works are executed and the balance will be paid by a special tax based on the assessment roll of real estate property then in vogue.

The fifty per cent levied upon the riverside properties interested will be payable in ten annual instalments with interest at 6 per cent per annum on the unpaid part, the debtor having the right to settle his account in full at any time.

"In the case of the construction of a sewer being more than 12 inches in diameter or constructed to a depth of more than eight feet, the part of the cost payable by the owner must not exceed fifty per cent of the cost of a sewer of twelve inches in diameter or of a sewer constructed to a depth of eight feet, the balance to be levied and distributed on all the real property in the said city such as set forth in paragraph one of the present article.

"When the above works are constructed parallel to the side line of a lot the owner of the lot will not be charged for such work, but for one quarter of the depth, the balance of the said works and of those executed at the intersection of the streets or in front of public properties where there are private property owners on one side of the street to be levied and distributed on all the real estate of the city such as set down in paragraph one of the present article," these different modes of imposing the special tax apply as much to the works of the nature above mentioned made since 1905 as to those which will be made in the future.

Or for authorizing the said city to borrow the necessary sums to reimburse their monies already paid by the owners of riverside lands for permanent work of paving and of sidewalks made since 1915, and to distribute the amount by way of special taxes, on all real estate subject to taxation for those works.

(3) That the City of St. Hyacinthe be authorized to borrow sixty thousand dollars to reimburse same, sum becoming due the first of November, 1919, and this in virtue of a law of that city dated the 31st of August, 1894, entitled "Law to give assistance to the St. Hyacinthe Manufacturing Co."

(4) To amend paragraph 24, section 5680 of the Revised Statutes of 1909 as edicted for the City by section 22 of the said law 8 Geor. V., chap. 86, in such a way as to prolong to two years the delay which is mentioned and during which time the City of St. Hyacinthe was authorized to buy and sell, during the time of the war just ended, provided at a price not less than cost price, fuel and foodstuffs to the residents of the City of St. Hyacinthe.

(5) Finally to obtain all other amendments deemed necessary and to be in the interests and for the best administration of the business of this city.

J. O. BEAUREGARD,

Agent and Solicitor of the said City of St. Hyacinthe.

City of St. Hyacinth St. Hyacinthe, November 30, 1918.

"CANADA CABINET WORKS, LIMITED." Public notice is hereby given that, under the

Quebec Companies' Act, letters patent have been issued by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Quebec, bearing date the twenty-fifth October, 1918, incorporating Howard-Salter Ross, advocate, Westmount, Eugene-Real Angers, advocate, Montreal, Henry-Murray Gardner, accountant, Westmount, Laura Racine, stenographer, Montreal, Mary-Theresa Brown, stenographer, Westmount, for the following purposes:

To carry on business as wood workers and carpenters, and to produce, manufacture, buy and sell at wholesale and retail all articles made of wood and leather;

To carry on any other business which the company may deem to be incidental or advisable:

To manufacture, buy, sell, refine, prepare, grow, import, export, and deal in provisions of all kinds both wholesale and retail and whether solid or li-

To buy, sell, manufacture, and deal in goods, wares and merchandise and consumable articles, chattels and effects, notions and novelties, both wholesale and retail; and generally to engage in any business or transaction which may seem to the company directly or indirectly conducive to the interest or conveniences of the company whether by land, water or air:

To acquire, own, hold, sell or otherwise dispose of shares in the capital stock, bonds or other securities of any other company having objects similar to those of this company: to use the funds of the com-

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To acquire, own, hold, sell or otherwise dispose of shares in the capital stock, bonds or other securities of many other company having objects similar to those of this company, to use the funds of the company for the acquisition of same and to vote such stocks and bonds in the name of the company;

To promote and assist, financially by guarantee advances of money or otherwise, the enterprises or undertakings of any individual, firm, association or corporation with which this company may have business relations;

To share profits, unite or co-operate with any person, firm, association or corporation engaged in or about to carry on any business which this company is authorized to engage in or carry on;

To apply for, purchase or otherwise acquire any patents, brevets d'invention, trade marks; licenses, concessions and the like conferring any exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use, or any secret or other information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the company or the acquisition of which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to benefit this company, and to use, exercise, develop or grant licenses in respect of, or otherwise turn to account the property, rights or information so acquired;

To do all and everything necessary, suitable or

To do all and everything necessary, suitable or convenient for the accomplishment of the purposes or the attainment of any of the objects hereinabove enumerated, and either as principals or agents;

To lease, sell or otherwise dispose of the business, property and undertaking of the company, or any part thereof, and for such consideration as the company may deem fit, and in particular for shares, bonds and debentures or securities of any other company having objects similar to those of this company, and to divide and distribute among the shareholders any stock, bonds or securities so received;

To carry on the aforesaid business as principals or agents and by and through agents, trustees or otherwise, under the name of "Canada Cabinet Works, Limited," with a capital stock of forty-nine thousand and five hundred dollars (\$49,500.00), divided into four hundred and ninety-five (495) shares of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), each.

The principal place of the business of the corporation, will be at the city of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec.

Dated from the office of the Provincial Secretary, this twenty-fifth day of October, 1918.

C.-J. SIMARD,

C.-J. SIMARD, Assistant Provincial Secretary.

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"A.-T. SMITH COMPANY, LIMITED."

Public notice is hereby given that, under the Quebec Companies' Act, letters patent have been issued by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Quebec, bearing date the twenty-fifth day of October, 1919, incorporating M.M. Howard Salter Ross, advocate, Westmount; Eugene-Real Angers, advocate, Montreal; Henry Murray Gardner, accountant, Westmount; Laura Racine, stenographer, Montreal; Mary Theresa Brown, stenographer, Westmount, for the following purposes:

To carry on a general restaurant and refreshment business and to produce manufacture, buy and sell any thing which the company may need for use or sale in connection with such business;

pany for the acquisition of same, and to vote such stocks and bonds in the name of the company;

To promote and assist financially by guarantee, advances of money or otherwise, the enterprises or undertakings of any individual, firm, association or corporation with which their company may have business relations;

To share profits, unite or co-operate with any person, firm, association or corporation engaged in or about to carry on any business which this company is authorized to engage in or carry on;

To apply for, purchase or otherwise acquire any patents, brevets, d'invention, trade marks, licenses, concessions and the like conferring any exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use, or any secret or other information as to any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the company or the acquisition of which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to benefit this company, and to use, exercise, develop or grant licenses in respect of, or otherwise turn to account the property, rights or information so acquired;

To do all and everything necessary, suitable or convenient for the accomplishment of the purposes or the attainment of any of the objects hereinabove enumerated, and either as principals or agents;

To lease, sell or otherwise dispose of the business property and undertakings of the company, or any part thereof, and for such consideration as the company may deem fit, and in particular for shares, bonds and debentures or securities of any other company having objects similar to those of this company, and to divide and distribute among the shareholders any stock or securities so received;

To carry on the aforesaid business as principals or agents, and by and through agents, trustees or otherwise, under the name of "A.-T. Smith Company, Limited," with a capital stock of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00), divided into four hundred (400) shares of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) each.

The principal place of the business of the corporation, will be at the city of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec.

Dated from the office of the Provincial Secretary, this twenty-fifth day of October, 1918.

C.-J. SIMARD,

Assistant Provincial Secretary.

MONTREAL LUMBER ASSOCIATION.

The Montreal Lumber Association of the Board of Trade held its annual meeting a few days ago, when the president, Mr. P. D. Gordon, presented his report of the affairs of the association during the past year. A number of important matters in connection with rail transportation had received attention in 1918,

A number of important matters in connection with rail transportation had received attention in 1918, notably the increase in freight rates authorized by the Governor-General-Council, and the relief from liability for demurrage charges when delays in loading or unloading cars occurred as a result of the recent epidemic of influenza.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, P. D. Gordon; vice-president, Geo. Grier; treasurer, F. W. Cotter; directors, Geo. C. Goodfellow, D. H. McLennan, Stewart F. Rutherford, W. A. Filion,

Mr. Arthur H. Campbell was chosen as the association's candidate for re-election to the council of the Board of Trade for 1919.

GREENSHIELDS' MONTHLY LETTER.

A very comprehensive and interesting compilation of leading Canadian stocks, with analysis of their earning power, dividends, price range, etc., has just been issued by Greenshields and Co., of this city. The stock analysis which accompanies their regular monthly letter should prove of the great possible interest to their clients. The list covers 70 of the leading stocks listed on the Montreal Exchange.

In their monthly letter they say in part:

In the reconstruction period opening up in Europe, it is quite clear that our measure of participation in the work to be done, with advantage to ourselves in keeping business actively employed, will depend very largely on our ability to save and grant credits. Competition will be keen. Great Britain and the United States, in much the same way as Canada, have large war plants to be employed, and they also have the resources to finance business that may be available in the rebuilding of the devastated parts of France and Belgium. Our share in such business will necessarily depend on our willingness and ability to say that, in any large scheme of reconstruction, we will be prepared to accept the securities of the buyer in return for goods furnished.

Granted that, we have every reason to believe that business of a profitable kind will be forthcoming and the advantages will be many. In the first place, the employment situation in the country will be stabilized through a critical period. In the second place, sales of our goods abroad, with our acceptance of securities in payment, will operate to the canceling of just so much debt owing to foreign countries, with promise of a much earlier change from the position of a debtor to a creditor nation than we would have dared hope a few years ago.

There are large possibilities in the situation, and in the long run they are dependent on two things: that Canadians will be prepared to work a little harder and save a little harder. We have learned to do both in the war period, and, if there be no relaxation of effort now, with the ending of the war, our coming problems will be simplified.

FISH.

When considered on a food value basis the price of fish, compared with meat, makes it a most desirable article of fare. Fresh and frozen fish can be purchased at reasonable prices all over Canada. The benefit to the health of the people by its increased consumption is supported by the leading doctors. The great variety of edible fish in Canada makes it all-important that Canadians should patronize and support this great national industry. By so doing, they save their pockets and improve their health.

BUY CANADIAN PRODUCTS.

If you purchase food which is brought from a distance, you must pay the transportation costs. This is why oranges, grape fruit and bananas cost more than apples. There is no doubt that the flavor of the fruit enters into the market demand, but the food value of apples is higher than that of oranges. The same is true of vegetables. Green vegetables should have a place in every day's dinner. Buy those which are reasonable in price and grown locally.

The Council of Social Service of the Church of England in Canada has endorsed the proposed formation of a national society to combat venereal diseases,