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An Act to incorporate the Board of Trade of the Town of Lévis.

W HEREAS the Honorable J. G. Blanchet, Jacques Jobin, the Preamble. Honorable D. E. Price, Samuel Bennett, P. C. Dumontier, Théodule Foisy, Louis P. Demers, Flavien Roy, Joshua Thompson, Pierre Lefrançois, J. H. Simmons, Ed. Demers, J. B. Renaud, Etienne Samson,
5 Pierre Roy, F. X. Lemieux, Ant. Carrier, B. Bennett, C. W. Carrier, John Buchanan, R. C. Tanguay, L. H. Fréchette, W. Simpson, Robert Demers, M. Cass, Thimolaús Beaubien, J. C. Hamel, Mathias Grégoire, S. Thompson, Thomas Dunn, F. X. Thompson, sr., I. Belleau, Chs. Darveau, F. X. Dion, Th. Boissinot, J. B. Michaud, J. A. Lessard, Benj.
10 Huot, Henri Verrault, Charles Morency, Elie Lachance, John Dumontier, Arthur Murphy, Elzéar Bédard, Joseph Labadie, James Gibson, Louis Bégin, Louis Nadeau, Louis Bégin, jr., F. X. Thompson, jr., Alfred Giroux, resident or interested in the Town of Lévis, have by their petition to the Legislature represented that they have associated them.
15 selves together for many years past for the purpose of promoting such measures as they have deemed important towards developing the general trade and commerce of this Dominion and the Town of Lévis in particular, and have further represented that the said Association would be more efficient in its operations should an Act of incorporation conferring

20 certain powers on them and their successors be granted ; and whereas it is expedient that the prayer of the said petition should be granted : Therefore, Her Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows :---

1. The said the Honorable J. G. Blanchet, Jacques Jobin, the Certain per-25 Honorable D. E. Price, Samuel Bennet, P. C. Dumontier, Théodule sons incorpo-Foisy, Louis P. Demers, Flavien Roy, Joshua Thompson, Pierre ^{rated}. Lefrançois, J. H. Simmons, Ed. Demers, J. B. Renaud, Etienne Samson, Pierre Roy, F. X. Lemieux, Ant. Carrier, B. Bennett, C. W. Carrier, John Buchanan, R. C. Tanguay, L. H. Fréchette, W. Simpson, Robert

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- 35 Gibson, Louis Bégin, Louis Nadeau, Louis Bégin, jr., F. X. Thompson, jr., Alfred Giroux, and such other persons resident or interested in the Town of Lévis, as are or shall be associated with the persons above named, for the purposes of this Act, in the manner hereinafter provided, and their successors, shall be and are hereby constituted a body politic 40 and corporate, by the name of "The Lévis Board of Trade," for the Corporate
- 40 and corporate, by the name of "The Lévis Board of Trade," for the Corpo purposes mentioned in the preamble, and may by that name, sue and be name. sued, implead and be impleaded, answer and be answered, defend and be defended in all Courts of Law and Equity, and all other places whatsoever, in all manner of actions, suits, complaints, matters and causes
- 45 whatsoever, and by that name they and their successors shall have perpetual succession, and may have a Common Seal, and the same may break, alter and change at their will and pleasure ; and they and their successors by their corporate name, shall have power to purchase, take, powers.