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An Act to Incorporate " The Quebec Temperance Hall Association."

W HEREAS Angus McDonald, William Bignell, Robert Symes, Preamble. Richard J. Shaw, John Morphy, Philip LeSueur, Frederick LeSueur, James Brent, Thomas Bickell, Charles Brodie, Thomas White, Junr., James Millar, George Mathison, Benjamin Cole, Junr., John H. 5 Craig, John Kemp, George Booth, Daniel Bews, Alexander Farquhar, James Reid and others, of the City of Quebec, members of "*The Quebec* "*Temperance Hall Association*," have by their Petition to the Legislature, represented that they have in contemplation the erection and maintaining of a Building within the said City, to be called "The Quebec Temper-10 ance Hall," for the promotion and advocacy of the principles of temperance, and for the accommodation of public meetings convened for useful and moral purposes ; and that it would greatly tend to the advancement of the useful and philanthrophic objects of the said Association if corporate powers were conferred upon them, and have prayed for an 15 Act of Incorporation ; be it therefore enacted, &c.

That the said Angus McDonald, Wm. Bignell, R. Symes, J. Morphy, P. Certain per-LeSueur, F. LeSueur, R. J. Shaw, C. Brotlie, J. Brent, T. Bickell, T. sons incorpo-White, Junr., J. Millar, G. Mathison, B. Cele, Junr., J. Kemp, G. Booth, J. H. Craig, Daniel Bews, Alex. Farquhar, and James Reid, together 20 with all such other persons as are now, and shall hereafter become members of the said Association, shall be and are hereby declared a body politic and corporate, under the name of "The Quebec Temperance Hall "Association," and shall be entitled to acquire, hold, possess, take, receive and dispose of for the purposes of the said Corporation, any lands, 25 tenements, or hereditaments and real or immoveable property lying within the said City of Quebec, not exceeding in yearly value the sum of five thousand pounds currency.

II. And be it enacted, That the Capital Stock of the said Association Capital Stock shall be and consist of the sum of fifteen thousand pounds currency, or 30 such part thereof as shall be deemed necessary to be raised by the said Association, and the same shall be divided and distinguished into three thousand equal parts or shares, at a price not exceeding five pounds currency per share, and shall be deemed personal estate, and be transferable as such; and that the said three thousand shares be and are hereby 35 vested in the members of the said Association, and their several and respective heirs, executors, curators, administrators and assigns, to their proper use and behoof, proportionably to the sum they and each of them shall severally subscribe and pay thereunto; and all and every persons,

and their several and respective successors, executors, curators, admin-