

An Act to amend "An Act respecting Separate Schools" in Upper Canada in so far as the same relates to Roman Catholic Separate Schools.

Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

Preamble.

I. Section numbered eighteen of chapter sixty-five of the Consolidated Statutes of Upper Canada is hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof the following shall be substituted :

Sect. 18 of c. 65, of Con. Stat., U. C., repealed.

5 "Any number of persons, not less than five, being heads of families, and freeholders or householders, resident within any School Section of any Township, Village or Town, or within any ward of any City, or Town, and being Roman Catholics, may convene a public meeting of persons desiring to establish a Separate School for Roman Catholics, in such School Section or ward, for the election of Trustees for the management of the same."

New section.

Five heads of families to call meeting.

II. Section number twenty of the said Act is hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof the following shall be substituted :

Sect. 20 repealed.

15 Notice of the holding of such meeting, and of such election of Trustees, shall be given by one of the Trustees so elected, to the Reeve or head of the Municipality, or to the Chairman of the Board of Common School Trustees, in the Township, Village, Town, or City in which such School is about to be established, designating by their names, professions, and residences, the persons elected in the manner aforesaid. as Trustees for the management thereof.

New section.

Written notice to certain officer.

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III. Section number twenty-three of the said Act is hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof the following shall be substituted :

Sect. 23 repealed.

25 "Where such notice has been given of the election of Trustees in more than one ward of any city or town, or in more than one school section in any municipality adjoining or contiguous to each other, the Trustees therein may, if they think fit, form a union for the establishment of separate schools in such parts of said cities or towns, or in such sections of the municipality as they think fit ; and from the day in which the notice announcing such union shall be published in any public newspaper, 30 issued in such city, town, village or municipality, or in the city, town, village or municipality nearest thereto, the Trustees of the several wards in such city or town, and the Trustees of such sections in any municipality, shall form a body corporate, under the title of "The Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic United Separate Schools, for the city 35 (or town) of , in the county of ;" or "the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic United Separate Schools, for the united Sections, numbers (as the case may be,) in the township of ; in the county of "

New section.

Union of wards and sections, how formed.

Notice of Unions.