

eight hundred and sixty-five, and executed in the said City of Québec, before Tessier and another, Notaries, the said Reverend Joseph Auclair, did acquire from William Culliton, of the said City, Innkeeper, a certain lot of land described as follows, in the said deed and in the said petition, that is to say :—a lot of land situate in the Upper Town of the said City, on the west side of Sainte Angèle street, containing forty feet in front by eighty feet in depth, bounded in front to the east by Sainte Angèle street aforesaid, in rear, at the end of the said depth, by the property of the representatives of one Dénéchaud, on one side, to the south, by the property of George Alford, representing Louis Tapin, and on the other side, to the north, by D'Aiguillon street, on which lot the said Reverend Joseph Auclair is at present causing a building to be erected, in which to place the Commercial School, which he has founded in the said City for the advantage of the Roman Catholic children of the said City; and whereas the said Reverend Joseph Auclair hath further represented that being desirous of providing for the continuance of the said schools so established in the interest of the Roman Catholic youth of the said City, he wishes to transmit the said lots, with the buildings erected and being erected thereon, and the furniture of the class-rooms of the said schools to the *Curés*, his successors in the cure of souls in the said parish, so that the said *Curés*, and each of them respectively, may manage, administer, govern, and have the absolute and exclusive control of the said lots, buildings, class-rooms, and furniture of the class-rooms already opened, or which may be opened in future; but that he cannot effect such transmission or assignment without an Act authorizing him so to do; and whereas the said Reverend Joseph Auclair, has in and by his said petition prayed that he and his successors respectively in the cure of souls in the said Parish may be incorporated for the above purposes; and whereas it is just that the said prayer should be granted: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

Further lot purchased.

School house to be erected.

Object of incorporation.

1. The said Reverend Joseph Auclair, and each of his successors, as *Curés* of the said Parish of *Notre Dame de Québec*, shall be and is hereby constituted and declared to be in fact and in name a body politic, incorporated for the aforesaid purposes only, under the name of "The Corporation of the *Curé* of the Parish of *Notre Dame de Québec*," and as such shall have and possess all the rights granted by law to corporations according to the provisions of the Interpretation Act, and may acquire, hold and possess all real or immovable estate being and situated in Lower Canada necessary for the actual use and occupation of the said Corporation, and may sell or otherwise alienate such immovable property, and with the proceeds of such sale or other alienation may acquire other immovable property, for the purposes of this Act only.

The *Curé* of the Parish of *Notre Dame de Québec* incorporated.