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and thereupon the cancelled debenture shall be filed and remain of record in the said Registry office: Provided always, that if any such cancelled debenture shall have been registered in more than one Registry office, it shall remain of record in the Registry office of the county 5 within which the greater part of the property mortgaged and hypothecated thereby shall lie, the other Registrar or Registrars, or his or their deputies, having first endorsed thereon a certificate of the entry by him or them made of the cancellation thereof. 10

Registration of
debentures
facilitated.

XXX. And to facilitate the registration of debentures of the said Company, creating mortgages or *hypothèques*, Be it enacted, That the said Company may at their own expense, deposit in any Registry office wherein any such of their debentures may require to be registered, 15 any number of their printed or engraved blank debentures, in the form of the said schedule numbers one and two annexed to this Act, bound together in a book, and having the pages thereof numbered and signed by the Secretary of the Company; and thereupon the Registrar 20 and his deputy shall be bound to receive and retain the same as one of the Registry books of his office, and to register therein the said debentures of the Company, instead of registering them in the ordinary registry books of his office; any ordinance or law to the contrary not- 25 withstanding.

Quebec Corpora-
tion, &c
may subscribe
for shares, &c.

XXXI. And be it enacted, That if at any time, the Mayor and Councillors of the City of Quebec, or the Ecclesiastics of the Seminary of Quebec, or the Ladies of the Ursuline Convent of Quebec, or of the Hotel-Dieu, 30 or any other Corporate Body, Civil, Ecclesiastical or Collegiate, in this Province, shall be desirous of subscribing for shares of the Capital stock of the said Company, or of otherwise promoting the speedy completion of the said Railroad, by loans of money or securities for money 35 at interest, or à *constitution de rente rachetable* (redeemable *constituts*,) it shall be lawful for them respectively so to do in like manner and with all the rights and privileges in respect thereof, as private individuals may do under and in virtue of this Act, any thing in any Ordinance or Act, or Instrument of Incorporation of any such 40 body, or in any law or usage to the contrary notwithstanding; Provided always, and be it enacted, that if the Mayor and Councillors of the City of Quebec become stockholders of the said Company or loan money 45 or securities for money to the said Company, then and in that case the Mayor shall be, *ex officio* one of the Directors of the said Company without being subject to election.

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