

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE

CHAPTER XXXIX., 34 VICT.—ASSENTED TO MAY 3, 1871.

Whereas it has been represented to the Legislature of this Province that the Right Reverend Robert Machray, Doctor of Divinity and Bishop of the Diocese of Rupert's Land, has established a College in connection with the Church of England within this Province, under the style and title of St. John's College; and whereas it would tend greatly to advance and extend the usefulness of the said College, and to promote the purposes for which it has been established that it should be incorporated;

Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba enacts as follows

1. That there shall be, and there is hereby constituted and established within this Province, a body politic and corporate under the name of St. John's College, which Corporation shall consist of the Bishop of Rupert's Land for the time being and the Council of the said College, not less than three in number,—which members of Council have been or shall be named in the first instance by the Right Reverend Robert Machray, Bishop of Rupert's Land as aforesaid, and shall in the event of the death of any of them, removal or disqualification from office, or resignation of any of them, be replaced from time to time by other persons in such manner as is set forth and appointed in the Constitution and Statutes of the said College; provided always that the Bishop of Rupert's Land for the time being shall ex-officio be a member of the said Council, and President thereof under the name of Chancellor

2. Such Corporation shall have perpetual succession, and may have a common seal, with power to change, alter, break and renew the same, when and so often as they shall think proper; and the said Corporation may, under the same name, contract and be contracted with, sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, prosecute and be prosecuted in all courts and places whatsoever in this Province, and shall have full power to make and establish such rules, orders and regulations, not being contrary to the laws of this country nor to this Act, nor to the Constitution and Statutes of the said College, as they shall deem useful or necessary, as well concerning the system of education as for the conduct and government of the said College and of a preparatory Collegiate School connected with or dependent on the same and of the Corporation thereof, of and for the superintendence, advantage and improvement of all the property, moveable or immoveable, belonging to, or which shall hereafter belong to the said Corporation; and shall have power to