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An Act to incorporate the Canadian Society of Joiners and Carpenters of Montreal.

[Assented to 24th July, 1858.]

WHEREAS an Association under the name of the *Canadian Society of Joiners and Carpenters of Montreal*, has existed for several years in the City of Montreal, having for its object the aid of its members in case of sickness, and the ensuring of like assistance and other advantages to the widows and children of deceased members; And whereas the members of the said Association have prayed to be incorporated, and it is expedient to grant their petition; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

1. Pierre Désautels, H. P. Raza, Edouard F. Dumas, Pierre Couvrette, Joseph T. Dorval, Adolphe Gibeau, Charles Allard, Isidore Paquette, François Délorier, Honoré Gingras, Cyrille Paré, Moyses Martin, together with such other persons as now are Members of the said institution, or may hereafter become members thereof, by virtue of this Act, shall be and they are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate, in fact and in name, under the name of the *Canadian Society of Joiners and Carpenters of Montreal*, and by that name shall have power from time to time, and at any time hereafter, to purchase, acquire, possess, hold, exchange, accept and receive for themselves and their successors, all lands, tenements and hereditaments, and all real or immoveable estate, being and situated in Lower Canada, necessary for the actual occupation of the said Corporation, and the said property to hypothecate, sell, alienate and dispose of, and to acquire other instead thereof, for the same purposes; And any majority whatsoever of the said Corporation, for the time being, shall have full power and authority to make and establish such rules, regulations and By-laws, in no respect inconsistent with this Act, nor with the laws then in force in Lower Canada, as they may deem expedient and necessary for the interests and administration of the affairs of the said Corporation, and for the admission of members thereof; and the same to amend and repeal from time to time, in whole or in part, and also such regulations and By-laws of the said Association as may be in force at the time of the passing of this Act; such majority may also execute and administer, or cause to be executed and administered, all and every the business and matters appertaining to the said Corporation, and to the government and management thereof, in so far as the same may come under their control, respect being nevertheless had to the regulations, stipulations, provisions and by-laws to be hereafter passed and established.

Preamble.

Society incorporated.

Corporate name and General powers.

Real property for actual occupation only.

By-laws.

General powers of administration.