

Application of penalties.

VI. All fines recovered under this Act shall belong to the City of Quebec, and shall be paid to the Treasurer of the said City.

How disinterments shall be conducted.

VII. In each case in which it shall be necessary to disinter a body buried in either of the said burial grounds, the disinterment shall take place by the direction and under the superintendence of the person or persons appointed for that purpose, by the Police Committee of the City Council of the said City, and according to the regulations in that respect made by the said Council.

Public Act.

VIII. This Act shall be a Public Act.

CAP. CXLII.

An Act to transfer to the City of Montreal, all the property, rights and privileges heretofore enjoyed by the Wardens of the House of Industry, in the City of Montreal, and for other purposes.

[Assented to 19th May, 1855.] -

Preamble.

Act of L. C.,
58 G. 3, c. 15.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Legislature of Lower Canada passed in the fifty-eighth year of the Reign of King George the Third, intituled, *An Act to establish a House of Industry in the City of Montreal*, a Corporation and body politic and Corporate by the name of *The Wardens of the House of Industry in the City of Montreal*, was erected and established for carrying into effect the last will and testament of the late John Conrad Marsteller, who died on the seventeenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eight, having by his said will bequeathed certain real and immoveable estates, and the rest, residue and remainder of all and every his Estate, property and effects, after payment of his debts and legacies, for the purpose of establishing in the said City of Montreal, a House of Industry; And whereas the said Corporation so established hath been found ineffectual for the proper establishment and management of the said House of Industry, and the benevolent intentions of the said John Conrad Marsteller in bequeathing the aforesaid estate and property are thereby likely to be defeated, unless the control and direction of the affairs of the said House of Industry be transferred to and vested in other management; And whereas by the joint petition of the said Wardens of the said House of Industry and of the Corporation known as *The Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Montreal*, it is prayed that the powers, rights and privileges conferred on the said Wardens by the aforesaid Act, as well as the property, estate, chattels and effects of the said House of Industry so incorporated, may be transferred to and made to vest in the said Corporation known as *The Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Montreal*, and the entire management

management and control thereof in future be confided to them, and that such further powers may be granted to them for the making of By-Laws and the appointment of overseers and other officers for the well governing and management of the said House of Industry and of the estate and property thereof, as may by them be deemed necessary effectually to carry out the object of the late John Conrad Marsteller, as expressed in his said will ; And whereas it is believed that the purposes for which the said late John Conrad Marsteller so bequeathed the said property will be more effectually accomplished by such transfer of the said estate, property and effects to the said Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Montreal : Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, *An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada*, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, as follows :

I. From and after the passing of this Act, the said Act of the Parliament of Lower Canada, passed in the fifty-eighth year of the Reign of King George the Third, chapter fifteen, and the several Acts of the said Parliament of Lower Canada amending the same, passed in the second year of the Reign of King George the Fourth, in the seventh year and in the ninth year of the said Reign, shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

The said Act and the 7 G. 4, c. 4, and 9 G. 4, c. 43, amending it, repealed.

II: From and after the passing of this Act, the real or immoveable estates, and the rest, residue and remainder of all and every the estates, property and effects, after the payment of his just debts and legacies, left by the said late John Conrad Marsteller under and by virtue of his said last will and testament, for the purpose of establishing in the said City of Montreal a House of Industry, and all and every the real and personal estate, property, chattels and effects in any way belonging and pertaining to the said Corporation or body politic and corporate known as *The Wardens of the House of Industry in the City of Montreal*, in the hands and possession of whomsoever the same may be, shall vest in and become and be the property of the said Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Montreal, for the purpose of sustaining and keeping up in the said City of Montreal a House of Industry, as contemplated and provided for by the said will of the said late John Conrad Marsteller ; and the said Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Montreal shall and may take and claim, and if necessary, sue for and recover the same, of and from the said Wardens and every of them, and of and from every other person or persons in whose possession the same or any part thereof is, may be, or be found.

Property now held for the said Institution transferred to the Corporation of Montreal.

Powers of the Corporation as to such property.

III.

Corporation empowered to establish and maintain a House of Industry in the City, and to make By-laws for its governance.

III. The said Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Montreal, are hereby authorized and empowered to establish, sustain and keep up a House of Industry in the said City of Montreal, and to use and apply the property, estates, moneys, chattels and effects by this Act declared to be vested in and to become the property of the said Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Montreal, for the purpose of establishing, sustaining and keeping up the said House of Industry, and from time to time to make and pass such By-Laws, Rules and Regulations for the management and direction of the said House of Industry, as they may think fit, provided the same are not repugnant to the Laws in force in this Province; and from time to time to appoint, discharge and re-appoint such overseers and other officers as they may deem it necessary to appoint for the management of the said House of Industry.

Corporation to have power to acquire and hold property for the purposes of the Institution.

IV. The said Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Montreal, at all times hereafter, shall and may have power and authority to purchase, take, acquire and hold by will, gift or otherwise, lands, tenements, real and immoveable estates, rents, usufructs, servitudes and hereditaments, and to erect houses and buildings thereon for the use and purposes of the said House of Industry in the City of Montreal, and shall also have power and authority at all times hereafter, to sell and dispose of the real and immoveable estate by this Act vested in the said Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Montreal, or which may be hereafter purchased or acquired by them for the purposes of the said House of Industry; but in case the said Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Montreal, shall so sell and dispose thereof, or of any part thereof, they shall, as soon as may be convenient thereafter, apply the proceeds thereof to the purposes of the said Institution, by the purchase of other Lands and Tenements, real or immoveable estate, more fit and proper for promoting the permanent establishment thereof.

And to alienate the same and acquire other property.

Public Act.

V. This Act shall be deemed a Public Act.

C A P . C X L I I I .

An Act to provide for the management and improvement of the Harbour of Montreal and the deepening of the Ship Channel between the said Harbour and the Port of Quebec, and to repeal the Act now in force for the said purposes.

[Assented to 19th May, 1855.]

Preamble.

16 V. c. 24.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Act passed in the sixteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign, chaptered twenty-four, and intituled, *An Act to provide for the improvement and enlargement of the Harbour of Montreal and for the deepening*