

C A P . L I .

An Act to amend the Act for incorporating Library Associations and Mechanics' Institutes.

[Assented to 19th June, 1856.]

Preamble.

14 & 15 V.
c. 86.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the second section of the Act passed in the session held in the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, *An Act for the incorporation and better management of Library Associations and Mechanics' Institutes*, so as to enable such institutions in certain towns and villages to hold property to a larger amount than the sum therein limited: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

Amount of real property in towns, &c., of more than 3,000 inhabitants.

And in those having a smaller population.

I. From and after the passing of this Act, it shall be lawful for any Library Association or Mechanics' Institute incorporated under the said Act, and situate in any village or town having three thousand inhabitants or more, to hold real property not exceeding in annual value the sum of five hundred pounds; and for any Library Association or Mechanics' Institute incorporated under the said Act, and situate in any town or city not having more than three thousand inhabitants, to hold real property not exceeding in annual value the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds; any thing in the said section to the contrary notwithstanding.

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An Act to extend the provisions of the Act to facilitate actions against persons associated for commercial purposes, and against unincorporated Companies.

[Assented to 19th June, 1856.]

Preamble.

12 V. c. 45.

WHEREAS it is expedient to extend to certain Associations and Companies hereinafter described the provisions of the Act of the Parliament of this Province, passed in the twelfth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, *An Act to facilitate actions against persons associated for commercial purposes, and against unincorporated Companies*: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

Act extended to partnerships formed for certain purposes.

I. All and every the provisions of the Act referred to in the preamble of this Act, shall extend and be held and construed to extend to all persons associated in partnership for manufacturing purposes, or for mechanical purposes, or for purposes of construction of roads, dams, bridges or other buildings, or for purposes of colonization, or settlement or of land traffic.

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