

eastern halves of lots 25 to 29 inc., in the 11th range. The proprietors of parts of lots annexed to be liable for past taxes to Zingwick.

Cap. 43—Divides CAPE DES ROSIERS, in Gaspé, into two municipalities—the one comprising the 1st and 2nd ranges S., and 1st and 2nd ranges E., and retaining the present name. The remainder to form another municipality called Griffincove. The moneys in the hands of the secretary treasurer, and liabilities of the township, to be divided in proportion to the property on valuation roll.

Cap. 44—Changes the limits of JOLIETTE AND MONTCALM, commencing lots 1, 2 & 3 in the 1st range of Kildare, in Joliette, to St. Alphonse de Sigouri, in Montcalm.

Cap. 45—Amends the charter of the DENTAL ASSOCIATION, correcting verbal errors in s. 14.

Cap. 46—Amends the charter of the CITY OF QUEBEC. The council is to consist of a mayor, with one alderman and two councillors for each ward, to hold office for two years. The mayor is to be chosen by the majority of members of council, his seat for the ward thereupon becoming vacant, he receives \$1,200 per annum. Voters shall be of age, and have paid their assessments to March, shall be British subjects, and on the voters list for the ward. To vote for aldermen they must be assessed as proprietors for \$50 annual value, and for councillors \$25, or must have paid \$25 assessments, besides water tax, or \$10 assessment on their rental. No officer or servant of the corporation, receiving income or wages from it, or any person interested in a corporation contract can vote. In case of vacancy of the mayorality the council fill it, at the first meeting thereafter, for the remainder of the term. Vacancies in seats of aldermen and councillors are to be filled by election within six judicial days, appointed by the mayor. Notice to be given in an English and French newspaper, two days before the nomination. Voters lists are to be made up from the assessment books, before the tenth of March in each year, and be posted till the 20th in the clerk's office. Notice being given in the newspapers. Claims to have names added or erased must be filed before the 21st March, instead of 15th November. The board of revisors are to meet on the 21st March instead of 20th November, 4 days notice being given. The revision is to be completed on the 1st April. The city clerk and assessors are liable to a penalty of \$50, or one month's imprisonment in default, for any neglect of duty. The nominator of candidates takes place on the 2nd Monday of April, of each alternate year. They are to be named by a requisition in writing, signed by two or more voters. If there be more than one candidate, the votes are to be taken between the 3rd Monday in April and the following Saturday. Any person can deposit his vote in writing within 15 days, before the close of the poll, signing it before the sheriff, prothonotary, judge of sessions, recorder, clerk of the crown or peace who knows him, and taking the prescribed affidavit. Ward lists are to be made, and votes entered as given by the city clerk and his assistants. Persons attempting to vote with any other voter's certificate, may be arrested on view, or by warrant, and held to the close of the election, and till bail is given, and shall be liable to \$100 fine, or 3 mos. imprisonment in default. An elector may vote for a candidate for each ward, on the voters list of which he is. On or before the 1st Monday in May, the clerk reports the result of the election to the recorder, who on that day declares the same in the city clerk's office. The city clerk decides in case of a tie. In case the city clerk is dead or cannot act, the council names an assistant in his place; if they do not, the recorder may do so. The city clerk or assistant appoints clerks to record the votes. The aldermen and councillors enter on their duties on the first Monday of May after election. Proprietors, or those in possession as such, alone are responsible for taxes to the corporation, but have their recourse against tenants or occupants according to their leases. A capitation tax of two dollars is authorized. In place of the present business rates or taxes licenses may be required and issued, and fees exacted therefor not exceeding the rate under the by-law of 27th April, 1866. All licenses shall run from 1st May to 1st May; shall be signed by the city clerk, on the certificate of the city treasurer, that the price has been paid. Penalty of acting without license, \$500. These provisions are not to apply to transient merchants. 29 and 30 V., c. 57, s. 32, applies to all by-laws except that affecting transient merchants, and subs. 2 of s. 50 to all offences against by-laws. All formalities are presumed to have been complied with, and a book appearing to be an assessment roll is presumed to be such till the contrary is shown. The recorder may exercise his discretion about awarding costs. The clerk of his court discharges the duties imposed by C. S. L. C., c. 3, s. 3. The licenses and numbers to be taken out under 31 V., c. 33, s. 10; must be taken by those doing business in Quebec, whether resident or not—the former paying \$10 therefor, the latter \$20; besides, in both cases, the cost of the numbers, the size, form and manner of placing which may be prescribed by by-law. Penalty for non compliance, \$20. When three-fourths of the proprietors of a street, &c., ask for the repair of a street, and furnish their share of the material, the city orders the required repairs, the remaining proprietors being bound to furnish their proportion. If they fail to do so the council furnishes them and recovers the cost, &c. Leases of stalls in the markets must be notarial, and possession is not given till sufficient security is put in. Actions for the rescission of any such leases may be brought before the recorder or recorder's court. The forms G and H under the 29 V., c. 57, s. 24, subs. 1, are to bear the signature of the treasurer or a fac simile thereof, who may charge 20 cents therefor, and 10 cents for signification by a bailiff. S. 18 of 31 V., c. 33, is repealed, and 29 V., c. 57, s. 20, and 9 & 30 V., c. 57, ss. 7, 8 & 9 are revived. A consolidated stock is established for Quebec similar to that of Montreal, under 31 V., c. 37, not to exceed \$2,500,000—class A, "Water Works," \$1,000,000; class B, public property, \$500,000; and class C, terminable debentures of not less than \$100, to the amount of 1,000,000, payable in 10 yrs. On the two first classes forming the consolidated fund interest at rate of 7 p. c. is to be paid on 1 January and 1 July. Taxes assessed on members of non-commercial partnerships are to be paid by