

tion may allow the homologation of the report under protest, paying the money into court and taking possession of the property, and thereafter proceeding for the reduction—the party being bound to give security for all moneys drawn out over the amount acknowledged by the corporation. They may acquire from the trustees of the Mount Royal Cemetery by purchase or exchange any of their land required for the park. Portions of the property required for said park, not heretofore within the city limits, are included in them.

CONSUMPTION OF SMOKE AND NOXIOUS OR DANGEROUS TRADES.

The Council may pass by-laws compelling manufacturers, &c. to provide apparatus to consume gas and smoke arising from their establishments, subject to a penalty of \$100, or imprisonment for 2 mos. and a fine of \$50 per day until the by-law is complied with. The Council may also forbid placing of lumber yards, saw mills, carpenters' shops, &c., within limits to be prescribed; and none shall be established or carried on without the license of said Council. They may also prevent the erection or working of soap and candle factories and other unwholesome establishments within the city limits. One year's notice must be given when the removal of any such establishment is ordered.

IMPROVEMENTS, &c.

Whenever the Council resolve by a two-thirds vote to pay one third of the cost of an improvement out of the general revenues, the right of the neighboring proprietors to object is taken away. Ten days notice of such resolution must be given through the newspapers. Expropriation Comrs. need not publish the names of proprietors of lands, &c. needed for an improvement, but a description of its boundaries will suffice. Surveyors need not set up boundary stones at the corners of streets, squares and places laid out by them.

WATERWORKS AND GENERAL PROVISIONS.

The Council may extend the aqueduct of the Waterworks and establish reservoirs without the city limits, acquiring the necessary property under the 27, 28 V., c. 60, and may borrow \$350,000 additional for that purpose. They may also borrow \$50,000 to make good the city contribution in aid of the sufferers by the Chicago fire. Writs of garnishment may be issued for the collection in the hands of third parties of moneys due for taxes. The special publication of the statement of the management of the waterworks is no longer required,—it being contained in the general reports of the affairs of the city. By-laws may be passed authorizing loans to the extent of \$50,000 per annum for other than ordinary improvements, but must be sanctioned by a vote of the electors.

Cap. 33—Amends the charter of QUEBEC. THE QUEBEC WATER WORKS STOCK and the QUEBEC PUBLIC PROPERTY STOCK are made permanent and irredeemable; and upon the Quebec Consolidated Fund a semi-annual dividend, at the rate of 7 p. c. per annum shall be paid by the city treasurer. The stock, shares or debentures may be negotiated either within the Province or else-

where, and if payable in Britain in sums of not less than £100 sterling; interest to be payable in sterling money or in current money of Canada. The time for completing the plan of the city is extended to 18th September, 1873.

Cap. 34—Establishes arrangements for the construction of the PARISH CHURCH of St. HYACINTHE to be at the same time the CATHEDRAL of the Bishop of that diocese. Seven trustees are to be appointed by the Bishop and become a corporation, who may accept from said Bishop a lot of ground for the site of such Church or Cathedral, and levy by assessment upon the real estate belonging to Roman Catholic proprietors within said Parish \$32,000 payable in ten years. Trustees not to commence to build until \$16,000 are paid up. The Municipal Councils of the City and of the Parish are to levy the necessary rate within 6 mos. in the proportion of \$23,100 for the city and \$8,900 for the parish—the rate to be privileged over all other debts. After the erection of the Cathedral, there are to be no Fabrique or Churchwardens in charge, but it is to be vested in the Bishop, and to be maintained by the parishioners,—the management of its temporal affairs being in the hands of a council of administration appointed by the bishop, who become a body corporate.

Cap. 35—Amends the charter of the town of Berthier.

Cap. 36—Incorporates, as the MONTREAL CREDIT Co. Sir Hugh Allan, Hon. J. Ferrier, Hon. T. Ryan, C. J. Brydges, P. Redpath, T. Cramp, D. L. McDougall, R. J. Reekie, W. McNaughton and others. The above named to be Provisional Directors. Capital \$1,000,000, in shares of \$500, with power to increase to \$2,000,000. \$100,000 to be subscribed and \$50,000 to be paid in before the Co. begin business. The Co. may act as an agency and transfer Co. It may accept deeds of the Brewster property on the Lachine Canal, may manage and dispose of such property, parties interested therein having power to convert their rights into shares of the Co. It may hold property mortgaged or hypothecated to it as a protection of its investments. It may open an office in London, England. No loan may be made by the Co. to any of its shareholders.

Cap. 37—Amends the charter of the MONTREAL CITY PASSENGER RAILWAY Co. The Co. may reduce the gauge of its railway to a width not less than 2 ft. 6 in., but this must be done, within the city limits with the consent of the City Council, and upon the roads of the Turnpike Trust with the consent of the trustees.

Cap. 38—Incorporates, as the DOMINION HOMESTEAD BUILDING SOCIETY, Hon. J. Ferrier, C. J. Brydges, G. Moffatt, K. M. Moffatt, R. J. Reekie, D. S. Macdougall, W. C. Phillips, J. Hickson, N. H. Bowen and W. O. Buchanan with power to acquire and to hold by lease, purchase or any other legal title, lands, building lots, houses, &c., and to construct houses, warehouses, &c., and lease or otherwise dispose of the same. It may also lend one-fourth of its money on security of mortgage, Provincial Government securities, or stocks of chartered banks. Capital \$500,000, in shares of \$50,