

Certain dates may be altered.

**"877a.** The council may, by resolution duly published, alter the dates mentioned in articles 875, 876 and 877.

Removal of snow or ice, &c., from water-courses in certain cases.

**"877b.** In cases where the work is not done by the labor of the rate-payers, the inspector or special officer shall, at the time when the water-courses should be open and clear, whenever he is required so to do, remove or cause to be removed the obstructions caused by snow or ice or otherwise; and the cost of such work is paid by the interested parties mentioned in the *procès-verbal*."

M.C., art. 1071 replaced.

**11.** Article 1071 of the said Code is replaced by the following :

Hearing of appeal.

**" 1071.** The appeal is heard and determined in a summary manner.

No new evidence, &c., to be adduced except in certain cases.

In no case can new witnesses be heard or fresh evidence adduced unless the council or court of first instance has refused to take cognizance of the evidence offered, or except when the appeal is from a decision of a county council or a board of delegates."

## CAP. LXIV.

### An Act to amend the Municipal Code.

[Assented to 2nd April, 1890.]

**H**ER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Articles added after M. C., art. 615.

**1.** The following articles are added after article 615 of the Municipal Code :

Provide for construction, &c., of aqueducts.

**" 615a.** To provide for the construction, protection and administration of aqueducts, public wells or reservoirs, and prevent the public waters from being dirtied or wasted.

Certain privileges may be granted to persons undertaking such works.

To grant for any number of years, to any company, person or firm of persons, who shall undertake or have undertaken the construction of an aqueduct, public wells or reservoirs, or who undertake the administration thereof an exclusive privilege to lay pipes for the supply of water within the limits of the municipality, and to contract for the supply of water for one or more years, but not to exceed twenty-five years.

Power to open streets, &c., for such purposes.

**" 615b.** To grant, to any company, person or firm of persons, who undertake or have undertaken the construction

or administration of an aqueduct, public wells or reservoirs, the right of laying pipes for the said aqueduct in the roads or streets, in the ditches or under the sidewalks along the public roads and streets of the municipality, and to do such works as may be necessary for the purposes of the said aqueduct.

“**615c.** To exempt from municipal taxes, for a period not to exceed twenty-five years, every company, person or firm of persons who undertake or have undertaken the construction or administration of an aqueduct, public wells or reservoirs, and not to impose any municipal taxes on account of the said aqueduct, public wells or reservoirs during the said period.”

Exemption from taxes may also be granted in favor of persons undertaking such works, &c.

**2.** Article 822 of the said Code is replaced by the following :

M. C., art. 822 replaced.

**822.** The provisions of this chapter, other than those enacted by article 825, apply only when there exists no *procès-verbal* or by-law specifying by whom the works on municipal roads are to be performed.

When provisions of chapter apply.

**3.** The following article is added after article 989 of the said Code.

Article added after M. C., art. 989.

“**989a.** The corporation of any municipality, which has issued debentures and which has been unable to invest the sinking fund intended for their ultimate redemption, may, in order to provide for the payment of any balance due on such debentures at their maturity, borrow on the credit of such municipality, a sum sufficient to pay such balance.

Corporation may borrow certain sum, if debentures issued and sinking fund not invested.

The council of such municipality may, by by-law approved of by the electors in the ordinary way, authorize its mayor or warden, as the case may be, to sign and execute an obligation to cover such loan, which shall stipulate for its payment by annuities extending over a period not exceeding twenty years and the last of which shall operate as and be a final extinguishment of the loan, or

Obligations to cover such loan.

It may authorize the warden or mayor to sign and execute as many obligations as there are years in the period during which the payments are to be made (and which shall not exceed twenty) each for an aliquot part of the loan with annual interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent, the first of which shall be payable in one year from the date of its execution, the second in two years, and so continuing during the stipulated term of years.

How such obligations may be executed.

The sum required to make said annual payments, with the interest on the outstanding debt, shall be levied.

Levy of sums to make annual payments.

collected and paid each year, being based upon the valuation roll in force at the time of such apportionment."

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## CAP. LXV.

An Act respecting the dismembered portion of the parish of St-Jean-Baptiste de Montréal.

[Assented to 2nd April, 1890.]

Preamble,

**W**HEREAS the parish of St-Jean-Baptiste de Montreal, comprised between the former limits of the city of Montreal and Mount Royal Avenue, and between Papineau road and Amherst street and its extension, has been taken from the said parish and canonically annexed to the parish of St-Grégoire le Thaumaturge, by decree of the twenty-fifth December, one thousand, eight hundred and eighty-seven ;

Whereas it is equitable that the Roman Catholic proprietors of the portion so detached be removed from the operation of the acts 44-45 Victoria, chapter 82, and 50 Victoria, chapter 26, and

Whereas the interested property holders in the remaining portion of the parish of St-Jean-Baptiste have given their assent thereto at a parish meeting ;

Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

44-45 V., c. 82, and 50 V., c. 26, not to apply to certain property holders in St. Grégoire le Thaumaturge.

**1.** The Roman Catholic property holders who are canonically detached from the parish of St-Jean-Baptiste de Montréal, and attached to that of St-Grégoire le Thaumaturge, are removed from the operation of the acts 44-45 Victoria, chapter 82, and 50 Victoria, chapter 26.

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## CAP. LXVI.

An Act to amend an act of this session, chapter 65 of these statutes, intituled : " An Act respecting the dismembered portion of the parish of St-Jean-Baptiste de Montréal,"

[Assented to 2nd April, 1890.]

**H**ER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

53 V., c. 65, s. 1, amended.

**1.** The following paragraph is added after section 1 of the act mentioned in the title of this act :