

BILL

No. 7 of 1911.

An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Christian Missionary Society.

(Assented to 1911.)

WHEREAS Oliver B. Stockford, of Okotoks, Alberta; Matthias B. Ryan, of Calgary, Alberta; Percival Baker, of Ponoka, Alberta; Gus. G. Bergman, of Erskine, Alberta; Huston H. Cox, of Ponoka, Alberta; Henry W. Wood, of Carstairs, Alberta; Frederick W. Crandall, of Calgary, Alberta; Henry N. Stephens, of Vermilion, Alberta; George W. Fullerton, of Edmonton, Alberta; Charles S. Farrow, of Lethbridge, Alberta; Alfred E. Nelson, of Lake DeMay, Alberta, have, by their petition, represented that they compose the board of management of the Alberta Christian Missionary Society, a society organized under that name on the 10th day of July, A.D. 1909, for the purpose of carrying on co-operative Christian missionary work among and by the religious people known individually as disciples of Christ and congregationally as churches of Christ;

And whereas the said petitioners have further represented that said society have in convention assembled instructed said petitioners to have said society incorporated;

And whereas the said petitioners have prayed that the said society be incorporated;

Therefore His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, enacts as follows:

1. There shall be and there is hereby constituted and established a body politic and corporate under the name of The Alberta Christian Missionary Society, which corporation shall consist of Oliver B. Stockford, Matthias B. Ryan, Percival Baker, Gus C. Bergman, Huston H. Cox, Henry W. Wood, Frederick W. Crandall, Henry B. Stephens, George W. Fullerton, Charles S. Farrow, Alfred E. Nelson, and such persons as now are, or may hereinafter from time to time, become members of said society.

2. Such corporation shall have perpetual succession and may have a common seal, with power to change, alter, break and renew the same, when and so often as they shall think proper, and the said corporation may, under the same name, contract and be contracted with, sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, prosecute and be prosecuted, in all courts and places whatsoever in this province, and shall have full power to make and establish such rules, orders and regulations not being contrary to the laws of this country, nor to this Act, nor to the constitution of the said society, nor to such constitution for said society as they may from time to time deem useful and necessary for the conduct and government of the said society, provided the provisions of said constitution are not contrary to the laws of this country nor the provisions of this Act, and for the superintendence, advantage and improvement of all property, moveable or immovable, belonging to, or which shall hereafter belong to, the said corporation, and shall have power to take, under any legal title whatsoever, and to hold for the said society all land

and property, moveable and immoveable, which may hereinafter be sold, ceded, exchanged, given, bequeathed, or granted to the said corporation, or to sell, alienate, convey, let or lease the same, or any interest therein, for the purposes of co-operative Christian mission work by said society, for the use of the said society; and the said society shall further have the right of appointing any attorney or attorneys for the management of their affairs and all the rights necessarily incident to a body corporate.

3. The said corporation is hereby empowered to borrow from any corporation, individual or individuals such sums of money, at such rate or rates of interest and on such terms and for such length of time as the said body corporate shall seem expedient or advisable; and the said body corporate is also hereby empowered to grant, mortgage, hypothecate or pledge all or any portion of their estate, real or personal, including promissory notes, bills of exchange or other securities, of which they may from time to time, become seized, possessed, or in any way interested in, to secure repayment of the moneys so borrowed, when and so often as they may deem it expedient and to make and execute under their corporate seal and the hand of their president or vice-president and secretary, respectively, for the time being, according to the rules and by-laws of the said corporation, all proper deeds, mortgages, and instruments, and to do all other acts, matters, and things requisite or necessary to effect and accomplish all and singular the premises and all other things provided for by the powers hereby granted. and such deeds, mortgages and instruments may contain such powers, terms and provisions as the said corporation may consider expedient.

4. All deeds, mortgages and instruments shall be executed under the corporate seal of the said society together with the hand of the president or the vice-president and secretary respectively, for the time being, of the said corporation.

5. The said corporation shall meet annually for the election of officers and the transaction of other business at such times and at such places as they may from time to time decide, and the present officers of the said society shall be and continue to be the officers of the society until their successors are appointed.

6. The said society may from time to time make rules or by-laws for the constitution and government of the said corporation, and for the guidance of its officers, and may alter, amend and annul the said rules or by-laws from time to time, provided always that such rules or by-laws are not contrary to this Act or repugnant to the laws of the province.

7. It shall be the duty of the said corporation at all times when they may be called upon by the Lieutenant Governor in Council of this province to render an account in writing of its property, in which shall be set forth in particular the income by them derived from property held under the Act and the source from which the same has been received.

8. This Act shall come into force on the day it is assented to.

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