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10. PROTECTION OF PROPERTY.

CHAPTER 323.

The Counties Reforestation Act.

1. The municipal council of a county may pass by-laws,— County by-laws for acquiring lands for reforestation purposes.
- (a) for acquiring by purchase, lease or otherwise such land designated in the by-law as the council may deem suitable for reforestation purposes;
 - (b) for planting land so acquired and for preserving and protecting the timber thereon;
 - (c) for the management of such land and the sale or other disposal of the timber grown thereon;
 - (d) for the issuing of debentures from time to time for the purpose of providing for the purchase of such land to an amount not exceeding \$25,000 to be owing at any one time;
 - (e) for entering into agreements for developing, protecting, caring for, and managing such lands or any portion thereof;
 - (f) for leasing, selling, or otherwise disposing of such lands or any portion thereof. R.S.O. 1927, c. 289, s. 1.

2. No by-law shall be finally passed under this Act until the same shall have been approved in writing by the Minister of Lands and Forests. Approval of by-law by Minister. R.S.O. 1927, c. 289, s. 2.

3.—(1) Municipal councils of townships in districts without county organization shall have all the powers, privileges and authority conferred by clauses *a*, *b* and *c* of section 1 on councils of counties. Powers of certain township councils.

(2) The councils of such townships shall have power and authority to levy by special rate a sum not exceeding \$200 in any year for the purpose of providing for the purchase of such lands. Idem. R.S.O. 1927, c. 289, s. 3.