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10. PROTECTION OF PROPERTY.

CHAPTER 240.

An Act respecting Reforestation by Counties.

HIS MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, enacts, as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as *The Counties Reforestation Act*. 1 Geo. V. c. 74, s. 1.

County by-laws acquiring lands for reforestation purposes.

2. The municipal council of a county may pass by-laws:—

- (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. 1 Geo. V. c. 74, s. 2.

Approval of by-law by Minister of Agriculture.

3. No by-law shall be finally passed under this Act until the same shall have been approved in writing by the Minister of Agriculture. 1 Geo. V. c. 74, s. 3.

Powers of certain township councils.

4.—(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 2 on councils of counties.

Idem.

(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. 1 Geo. V. c. 74, s. 4.