

CHAP. 144.

Vacancies, how to be supplied

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That in case of the death, resignation, or refusal to serve, of any of the trustees, then and in such case the remaining trustees shall, at their next meeting, proceed to vote by ballot, and elect and appoint another trustee or trustees in the place of those whose seats may have been vacated as aforesaid, in order to keep up the said number of nine trustees for ever, and the said trustees shall have power to expel any member for improper conduct.

President, secretary and treasurer to be appointed

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said trustees shall have full power and authority to appoint, out of their own body, a president of the board, treasurer and secretary; and in case of a vacancy in the presidency by death, or otherwise, they shall appoint one of their own body to fill such vacancy; and in case of the absence of the president at any meeting of the board, the trustees shall appoint a president *pro tempore*.

Trustees may sue and be sued, &c

4. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the trustees, and their successors, shall be capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, in any court or courts, before any judge, judges or justices, within this state, and elsewhere, in all and all manner of suits, complaints, pleas, causes, matters and demands, of whatsoever kind, nature, or form they be, and all and every other matter and thing therein to do, in as full and effectual a manner as any other person or persons, bodies politic or corporate, of like nature within this state may or can do.

President, professors and tutors, to be appointed

5. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said trustees, and their successors, from time to time, and at all times hereafter for ever, shall have full power and authority to constitute and appoint, in such manner as they shall think best and most convenient, a president, who shall be *ex officio* a trustee, and shall also appoint professors, with proper tutors and assistants, (who may be approved by the faculty,) for instructing the students and scholars of the said seminary, in all the liberal arts and sciences, and in the ancient and modern tongues and languages, who shall be severally styled professors of such arts, sciences or languages, as they shall be nominated and appointed for, according to each particular nomination and appointment; and the said president and professors, so constituted and appointed from time to time, shall be known and distinguished for ever, by the name of The President and Professors of the Asbury College, and in that name shall be capable of exercising such powers and authorities as the trustees of the said college, and their successors, shall by their ordinances think necessary to delegate to them, for the instruction, discipline, and government thereof, and of all the students, scholars, officers and servants, belonging to the same; and the said president and professors, students, scholars, and such necessary officers and servants as give constant attendance upon the business of the said college, shall be exempted from military duties, except when called into actual service under the laws of this state or of the United States.

Times of meeting

6. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said trustees, and their successors, shall meet at least four times in every year, in stated quarterly meetings, to be appointed by their own ordinances, and at such other times as by their said ordinances they may direct, in order to examine the progress of the students and scholars in literature, and upon all matters relative to discipline of the college,