

and the good and wholesome execution of their ordinances; in all which examinations, meetings and determinations, such number of the said trustees duly met, (provided they be not less than five,) shall be a quorum. CHAP. 144.

7. AND BE IT ENACTED, That a majority of the said trustees, for the time being, when duly assembled at any quarterly or other meeting, upon due notice having been given to the whole body, shall have full power and authority to make fundamental ordinances for the government of said college, and the instruction of youth as aforesaid, and by these ordinances to appoint such a number of their own body, not less than three, as they may think proper, to be a quorum for transacting all general and necessary business of the said college, and making temporary rules for the government of the same; and also by the same fundamental ordinances to delegate to the president, professors and teachers, such powers and authorities as they may think best for the standing government of said college, and of the execution of the ordinances and rules of the same; and to make and ordain by-laws, rules and regulations, from time to time, and the same to alter and annul, as they may think proper; and shall have power and authority to do all matters and things they in their judgment shall think will promote the interest of the institution, consistent with this act, and not repugnant to the form of government or any laws of this state or of the United States; *Provided nevertheless*, that for the sake of securing perpetual harmony between the board of trustees, and the board of faculty, all laws, ordinances, rules or regulations, pertaining to the interior regulations and management of the institution, shall be subject to the following provisions: First, the faculty may suspend any such laws or ordinance made by the board of trustees, which they may find to operate injuriously, until a meeting of said board shall take place. Powers of trustees

8. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the trustees, and their successors, shall have full power and authority to have, make and use, one common and public seal, and likewise one privy seal, with such devices and inscriptions as they shall think proper, and to ascertain, fix and regulate, the uses of both seals, by their own laws, and the same seals, or either of them, to change, break, alter and renew, at their pleasure. To make and use a seal

9. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said trustees, and their successors, are authorised, so far as their funds may warrant, to admit gratuitously, in whole or in part, as their respective cases may require, such person or persons as they may think proper, and that the trustees are authorised to receive subscriptions, donations and bequests, as a fund to meet the expenditures required in effecting this benevolent object, and to take such measures as they may conceive proper to augment said fund. May admit persons gratuitously

10. AND, for animating and encouraging the students of the said college to a laudable diligence, industry and progress, in useful literature and science, BE IT ENACTED, that the said trustees, and their successors, shall by a written mandate under the privy seal, and the hand of one of the trustees to be chosen annually as the president, according to the ordinance to be made for that purpose, have full power and authority to direct the president of the faculty, and professors, to hold public commencements, either on stated Commencement