

society, also a Secretary and Treasurer, all of which officers and the committee shall be elected by ballot at the first annual meeting of the society, a majority of the members present to determine such election. These officers and the committee shall serve for one year from the date of their election, and until their successors are elected, and shall receive no pecuniary compensation for their services.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That there shall be a Board of Management to consist of the President, Vice President and the executive committee, which said board shall perform such duties as may be required by the society under such by-laws as may be adopted.

Board of management

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That there shall be two meetings of the society every year at its principal office, the first to be held on the third Thursday in January, and the second on the second Wednesday in September; the annual election of the officers above-named and the executive committee shall take place at the January meeting, but in case such election shall not take place on that day, said election may take place on a subsequent day, of which at least two weeks' public notice shall be given in a newspaper published in Rockville, in said county. The President or any one of the Vice Presidents shall have power to call such meetings of the society or Board of Management as shall be deemed necessary.

Meetings.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That the objects of this society shall be to promote the advancements of agriculture, horticulture, the mechanic arts and manufactures dependent on or connected therewith, the improvement of the breeds of all domestic animals associated with farming, and for encouraging of the development of the resources of the county.

Objects.

SEC. — *And be it enacted*, That in order to organize under this act, it shall be submitted to a meeting of the members of the Agricultural Society of Montgomery county, to be called by the President of the society, after notice published in the county newspapers at least three weeks previous thereto; and if adopted by a majority of the members then present, said meeting shall immediately proceed to an elec-

Organization.