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cise all the powers of a corporate body necessary for the purposes contemplated by this act, and affairs of the said corporation shall be conducted, and the powers thereof exercised by three trustees to be chosen by, and from among the subscribers aforesaid, hereby incorporated, at a public meeting to be held at the said school house, once in every three years, on the first Monday in August, or in thirty days thereafter, by giving at least fifteen days previous notice, stuck up in some public places in the neighborhood of said school house; and the said Charles Williar, Jacob Williar and Peter McClain, shall be, and they are hereby appointed and declared the trustees of the said corporation, until the election shall be made as herein provided; and the trustees herein appointed, and who shall hereafter be elected shall be entitled to hold their office until a new election shall be made, and they shall have power to fill all vacancies which shall occur in their own body by death, resignation or removal out of the county, until the election to be held at the end of each term of three years (or a new election) and to take and use all proper legal means for the improvement, preservation and repairs of said school house; and if found necessary for the erecting of a new or additional school house, and also for the improvement of the lot of land conveyed in trust as aforesaid, and for the collection, safe keeping and application of all money subscribed for that purpose; and it shall be the duty of the said trustees to keep or cause to be kept, a book for the use and as the property of the said corporation, in which shall be entered all the subscriptions to the use of the said corporate objects, and other proceedings of the said corporation, which entries of subscription shall be signed by each respective subscriber; and which, with proof of payment, shall be evidence of a right to vote as a member of the corporation, and the proceedings of the trustees, and all other matters, authorised by this act, may be regulated by a majority of the members assembled at any of the aforesaid meetings, and notice of such meetings shall be given in the manner hereinbefore specified, and the first meeting for electing trustees to be held the first Monday of August next.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the property conveyed in trust, and the estate and interest therein vested in the trustees above named, is hereby vested in the corporation hereby enacted; and the said corporation is hereby empowered to receive and to hold any further estate and quantity of lands, not exceeding in the whole fifty acres, and subscriptions or donations for the purposes expressed in this act, not exceeding in value five hundred dollars per annum.