their adjournments, may direct, and the said board of trustess shall elect from amongst their own number, Election of officers a president, secretary and treasurer, in order that their business may be the more readily expedited, and all ordinances, rules and regulations passed by the said board, shall have affixed the signature of their president and countersigned by their secretary, they Journal to be kept shall also be requested to keep a journal in which shall be carefully registered all their proceedings, and make an annual report of their acts, and the state and condition of the academy during their term of service.

SEC. 9. And be it enacted, That the board of trus-contracts tees shall have full power and authority to make contracts with the professors or teachers, relative to the instruction of the scholars to be placed under their care, and the payment of their salaries; to hear and determine upon all complaints and appeals, and other matters touching the discipline and government of the said academy; and generally to manage the state and general manageroncerns of the same in such manner as they shall deem best for its advantage; and any professor, teacher or charge against professor, assistant, against whom any charge or complaint shall be alleged, shall have the privilege to appear before the trustees and defend himself, the trustees first giving him notice in writing, setting forth the nature of the charge or complaint.

Sec. 10. And be it enacted, That the said board of Examinations trustees and their successors, shall hold two public examinations, annually, at such time as may be agreed upon by the said board and professor, with a view to test the progress of the students of said academy, and to visit it regularly once a month, to ascertain the condition, discipline and management of the same.

## CHAPTER 325.

An act for the payment of the Journal of Accounts. Passed April 4,1836

WHEREAS, it appears by the Journal of Accounts of reamble this session, that there is due from this State the sum