

may be delegated to it; they shall annually elect from their number a vice-president, a secretary and a treasurer, and may elect one person as secretary and treasurer, and may at any time appoint such agents as may be necessary.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the said District Conference of the Baltimore District may make such by-laws not inconsistent with the laws of this State or this charter, as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the affairs of said corporation.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That a copy of this charter and of the by-laws adopted as above set out, together with the record of all proceedings of the said board of trustees, shall be kept in a substantial book, which book and records shall be annually produced to the said District Conference for inspection and control.

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That the said corporation shall be capable of acquiring, purchasing and taking by gift, grant, devise, bequest or otherwise, absolutely, in fee simple, in trust or in perpetuity, and of holding, improving, selling, leasing (as lessor or lessee) or otherwise disposing of such real and personal property and estate for the uses, objects and purposes of said corporation as may be necessary or proper to carry out the objects of said corporation, and to sell, transfer, assign and dispose of any and all such property and securities so received by it as may, in the judgment of said trustees, best serve the interests and accomplish the objects of said corporation.

SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*, That the real and personal property so authorized to be held and held by said corporation shall be exempt from all State, county and municipal taxes so long as the same shall be held and used for the purposes aforesaid.

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 8, 1908.

CHAPTER 707.

AN ACT to amend the charter of The Proctor Slate Company of Harford County, a corporation duly organized under the General Laws of this State, and to enlarge its powers.

Whereas The Proctor Slate Company of Harford County, Maryland, was heretofore, on the twenty-seventh day of September, 1899, duly organized under the General Laws of this