

the leading object of which shall be to carry information on rural life subjects to the people of Maryland.

SEC. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the Trustees of the Maryland State College of Agriculture, as herein constituted, shall meet and organize, and for the orderly conducting of the business of said corporation said Trustees shall have the power and authority, from time to time, to elect such officers as may be required and to prescribe their duties and tenures. The meetings of the Board of Trustees of the College shall be open to the public and the press, and all records of such meetings and of all proceedings of such Board shall be open to inspection by the public and the press at reasonable times thereafter; provided, that said Board may hold executive sessions, the findings of said executive sessions to be made a part of the records of the proceedings of said Board.

SEC. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That the Board of Trustees of said corporation shall have full power and authority to determine the time and place of meetings and the manner of notifying its members to convene at such meetings, and also to elect, by a majority vote of the whole Board, an executive head of the said College, who may attend all meetings of the Board. The said Board of Trustees shall establish the position and fix the salaries and emoluments of the executive head of the College, all heads of departments, professors, teachers, instructors, and other officers; and the said Board of Trustees is further empowered to make or ordain as the occasion may require, reasonable rules, orders and by-laws not in conflict with the Constitution and Laws of this State, with reasonable penalties, for the good government of the said Corporation, for the regulation of their own body, and also by and with the advice of the executive head of the College to determine and regulate the course of instruction in said College, but no instruction, either sectarian in religion or partisan in politics shall ever be permitted in any department of the College; and no sectarian or partisan test shall be allowed or exercised in the appointment of Trustees, or in the appointment of any instructors or other officers of the College, or in the admission of students thereto, or for any purpose whatever. And the Board of Trustees shall confer such appropriate degrees as they may determine and prescribe. The Trustees shall have the care, control and management of all the real and personal property, and all monies of the said College, Farms and Experiment Station, and shall keep a correct and easily understood record of the