

trustees to supply the vacancy or vacancies occasioned by CHAP. 87.  
 the respective causes aforesaid, and in such manner may all  
 future vacancies be supplied by the said trustees, and their  
 successors, or a quorum of them.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the said trustees, and  
 their successors, by the name and style aforesaid, shall be  
 capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded  
 in any court or courts, and before any judge or justice in  
 this State or elsewhere, in all manner of suits, complaints,  
 pleas, causes and demands, of whatever nature, kind or  
 form they be; and all and every other matter or thing to do  
 therein, in as full and effectual manner as any other person  
 or persons, bodies politic in like cases may or can do and per-  
 form, and the said trustees or their successors, or a quorum  
 of them, shall have power and authority to have, make and  
 use one common seal, with such device or inscription as  
 they shall think proper; and the same seal at their pleasure  
 to alter or renew.

General pow-  
 ers

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That the said trustees and  
 their successors, or quorum of them, from time to time, and  
 at all times hereafter, shall have full power and authority  
 to constitute and appoint, in such manner as they shall think  
 best and most convenient, professors, teachers and assistants for  
 instructing the students and scholars of said academy in the  
 languages, and such sciences and branches of education as  
 they shall think proper and suitable to be taught therein;  
 and to make all such laws, ordinances, rules, orders or regu-  
 lations for the government of the said academy, and the  
 instruction of the pupils aforesaid, and the directors, visi-  
 tors and examination of the said seminary, and the scholars  
 therein, as shall in their opinion best promote the important  
 objects of the institution; *provided,* the same be not repug-  
 nant to, or inconsistent with, the laws and constitution of  
 this State, or the United States.

To appoint  
 professors, etc

To establish  
 by-laws.

Proviso

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted,* That the said trustees, and  
 their successors, or a quorum of them, shall meet at least  
 four times every year in stated quarterly meetings, to be  
 appointed by their ordinances, or by their own adjournment as  
 they may direct, and when so assembled they shall have  
 power to appoint a president, treasurer and secretary, and  
 to do all and every other matter or thing necessary for the  
 government of its affairs.

Quarterly  
 meetings

To appoint  
 officers

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted,* That any three of the  
 said trustees shall be and are hereby declared to be a quo-  
 rum, and are hereby empowered to meet from time to time,  
 in said academy or any other place in the neighborhood of  
 said academy, previously designated by the said trustees at  
 their last meeting, and when so assembled, may, in the ab-

Number to be  
 a quorum.