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ral Assemce, Thomas Charles F. P. Phelps, h, William lewis Ross, d their successors, be and are hereby created a body politic and corporate, by the name and style of the Cambridge Female Academy, and by that name and style to have perpetual succession; said Academy to be located in the town of Cambridge in the

county of Dorchester.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That said corporators above named, are hereby authorised to receive by gift, grant or otherwise, real estate, money and other valuables, on subscription or otherwise, for the purpose of erecting the necessary buildings, and providing the necessary means for the opening and furnishing said Academy, and for that purpose shall have full power to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, and do all other things in courts of law and otherwise, that are usually given to such institutions, and shall have a common seal, and may make such constitution and by-laws as they deem necessary, not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of the United States and of this State.

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That said Corpora- Power to raise tion shall have power to raise any sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars, in shares of twentyfive dollars each, exclusive of sums received by

donation, bequest or otherwise.

SEC. 4. And be it enacted, That the corporators Trustees to be herein named, shall notify the stockholders as elected. soon as one thousand dollars are subscribed, to meet on some Monday, within one month from the day of notice, published in some newspaper in said county, and elect from said stockholders nine Trustees as follow: three for the term of one year, three for the term of two years, and three for the term of three years, and annually thereafter, there shall be elected three trustees, for the term of three years each, to hold office until their successors are elected and qualified; and at all of said elections, each share shall entitle the stockholder to one vote; as soon as said Trustees are elected, the corporators herein named shall turn over all books, papers, subscriptions, property of every description, belonging to said corporation, to said trustees, and said trustees shall have as full and ample powers as are herein given to the original corporators.

Levin S. Dail. William Creighton, and their suc-

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