

ward Gray, who shall appoint the judges of the first election, and give the necessary notice to the stockholders.

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6. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the president and directors so elected as aforesaid, or a majority of them, shall have power; and they are hereby authorised to fix the salary of the president, to appoint and employ so many agents, factors, clerks and other persons, as the affairs of the company may in their judgment from time to time require, and allow them such compensation, salary, or wages as they may think proper, and to do and perform such acts, and make, revise, alter and annul, all such by laws and ordinances rules and regulations not inconsistent with the laws of the United States or of this State, as they or a majority of them may find convenient, useful or necessary for exercising and carrying into effect the powers granted by this act, and in general for the better managing and promoting the interests of the said corporation and company, or for the improvement of the natural advantages of the lands, rights and privileges vested in or owned by them, in as full and ample a manner as any other corporate body within this state may or can do.

Salary—
agents &c.

7. AND BE IT ENACTED, That it shall be the duty of the president and directors to prepare and exhibit to the stockholders annually a statement of the affairs of the company, and to make dividends of the profits of the company, at such times and in such manner as they or a majority of them shall direct.

Dividends

8. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all the property, estate and joint stock of said corporation shall be bound and answerable for any contracts or engagements made, or liability incurred by the president and directors thereof, or through their agency, or by their authority, but the stockholders shall in no wise be answerable or liable therefor in their individual capacities or private estates; and the service of any judicial process by any authorised officer, upon the president or any director shall be a good service upon the corporation.

Property answerable for contracts.

9. AND BE IT ENACTED, That it shall be the duty of said company to provide a competent teacher to instruct the children employed in their service, in reading, writing and arithmetic.

Teachers

CHAPTER 141.

An act to repeal part of the act entitled, an act for the ease of the inhabitants in examining evidences relating to the bounds of lands, and in the manner of obtaining injunctions.

Passed Jan. 24, 1816.

Sec. 1. BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all that part of an act entitled, an act for the ease of the inhabitants in examining evidences relating to the bounds of lands, and in the manner of obtaining injunctions, which requires the commissioners to affix public notice at the parish church where the land lies or in which the party resides, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Repeal

CHAPTER 142.

An act authorising the conveyance of certain property therein mentioned.

Passed Jan. 24, 1816.

WHEREAS James Roseberry, by his last will and testament, did bequeath to Robert Stevens, son of Robert Stevens of Queen Ann's county, one half of his real estate, consisting of about sixty five acres of land called Brotherhood, adjoining

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