

SECTION 9. No misnomer of said corporation shall defeat or annul any gift, grant, devise or bequest to or from the said corporation; *Provided*, That the intent of the parties shall sufficiently appear upon the face of the gift, grant, will or other writing, whereby any estate or interest was intended to pass to or from said corporation.

SECTION 10. That the said corporation shall not be entitled to receive the annual appropriation made to academies, under the fourth section of an act, passed the twelfth of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, entitled a supplement to an act to consolidate and amend the several acts relative to a general system of education by common schools, passed the thirteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six.

WM. HOPKINS,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

W. T. ROGERS,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eighth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty.

DAVID R. PORTER.

[No. 122.]

A N A C T

To incorporate the Wysox Academy.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same:* That there shall be, and is hereby established in the township of Wysox, in the county of Bradford, an academy in my or public school for the education of youth, in the English and other languages, and in the useful arts, sciences and literature, by the name, style and title of the "Wysox Academy;" the said academy to be under the direction, management and government of a board of trustees, not exceeding eight in number, five of whom shall be a quorum for the transaction of business.

Privileges &
franchises.

siness, which said trustees and their successors shall be, and they are hereby erected, established and declared to be a body politic and corporate, with perpetual succession, and with all the incidents of a corporation, in deed and in law, to all intents and purposes whatsoever, by the name, style and title of the trustees of the Wysox Academy, by which name and title the said trustees, and their successors, shall be able at law and in equity to take to themselves and their successors, for the use of the said seminary, any estate, messuages, lands, tenements, hereditaments, goods, chattels, moneys or other effects, by gift, grant, bargain, sale, conveyance, assurance, will, devise or bequest, of any person or persons whatsoever, and the same messuages, lands, tenements, hereditaments, goods, chattels, moneys and estates, real and personal, to grant, bargain, sell, convey, demise, and to farm, let or otherwise dispose of, or invest in such manner as to them, or a quorum of them shall seem most beneficial to the institution, and to receive the rents, issues, profits, and income and interest of the same for the use of the said seminary; and by the same name to sue, prosecute and defend, implead and be impleaded in any courts of law or equity, and in all manners of suit and actions whatsoever, and generally by and in the same name to do and transact all and every the business touching or concerning the premises, or which shall be incidentally necessary thereto, as fully and effectually as any natural person has power to manage his own concerns.

Seal.

SECTION 2. The said trustees shall cause to be made for their use one common seal, with such devices and inscriptions thereon as they shall think proper, by and with which seal all deeds, certificates, and acts of the said corporation shall be authenticated, and the same seal the said trustees may at their pleasure break and alter, and also if they think proper devise a new one.

Trustees.

SECTION 3. Harry Morgan, William Myer, Joseph M. Piollet, Joseph M. Bishop, Harry N. Spalding, Victor E. Piollett, Daniel Coolbaugh, and David H. Owen, are appointed trustees of said corporation, which said trustees or any five of them shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and shall have power to fill any and all vacancies which may occur in their body, for the term of five years from the first Monday of July next, at the expiration of which term of five years eight trustees shall be elected annually, under such rules and regulations as shall be adopted by the said corporation for that purpose.

Vacancies.

General powers
of trustees.

SECTION 4. The said trustees shall have the power of making and enacting ordinances for the government of the said seminary, of electing and appointing the teachers of the said seminary; of agreeing with them for their salaries and stipends, and of removing them for misconduct, breaches of the

ordinances of the institution or other causes, which shall be deemed sufficient; of appointing committees of their own body to carry into execution all and every the resolutions of the board; appointing all such officers as they may find necessary for managing the corporation; of providing for the punishment of all violations of the rules, regulations or ordinances of the seminary, and generally at any annual, adjourned or extra meeting, shall determine all matters and things which shall occasionally arise, or be necessary to be determined by said trustees: *Provided*, That no ordinances or regulation shall be of any force, which is repugnant to the constitution and laws of the United States or of this commonwealth.

SECTION 5. No misnomer of the said corporation shall defeat or annul any gift, grant, devise or bequest, to or from the said corporation: *Provided*, That the intent of the parties shall sufficiently appear upon the face of the gift, grant, will or other writing, whereby any estate or interest was intended to pass to or from said corporation.

SECTION 6. That nothing in this act, or any other law of this commonwealth, shall entitle the institution hereby incorporated to receive the appropriation heretofore granted to academies and female seminaries, by the fourth section of the act of the twelfth day of April, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, entitled a supplement to an act to consolidate and amend the several acts relative to a general system of education by common schools, passed the thirteenth day of June, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

SECTION 7. The legislature reserves the right to alter, or annul the charter hereby granted, at any time they may think proper.

WM. HOPKINS,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

W. T. ROGERS,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eighth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty.

DAVID R. PORTER.