

An Act supplementary to the Common School Act for
Upper Canada.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make some further provision
for the improvement of Common Schools in Upper Canada,
and to modify and extend some of the provisions of the Act
passed in the session held in the thirteenth and fourteenth years
of Her Majesty's Reign, chaptered forty-eight, and intituled,
*An Act for the better establishment and maintenance of Common
Schools in Upper Canada*, hereinafter called " the Upper Canada
School Act of 1850 " : Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's
Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of
the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the
Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and
under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled,
*An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and
for the Government of Canada*, and it is hereby enacted by the
authority of the same, That the Board of School Trustees in each
City, Town and incorporated Village, shall, in addition to the
powers with which they are now legally invested, possess and
exercise, as far as they shall judge expedient, in regard to each
such City, Town and incorporated Village, all the powers with
which the Trustees of each School Section are or may be invested
by law in regard to each such School Section : Provided always,
that the Chairman of each such Board of School Trustees
shall be elected by the Trustees from their own number, and
shall have a right to vote at all times, and shall also have a
second or casting vote, in case of an equality of votes.

Preamble.

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c. 48.Boards of
School Trust-
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the powers of
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such Boards.

II. And be it enacted, That in any Village in Upper Canada,
which shall become incorporated according to Law, an Election
of a Board of School Trustees for such Village shall take place
at the time specified in the second section of the said Upper
Canada School Act of 1850 ; Provided always, that the first
Election of such Board of School Trustees shall be called by
the Returning Officer appointed to hold the first Municipal
Election in such Village, or in case of his neglecting to do so
for one month, by any two Freeholders in such Village, on
giving six days' notice in at least three public places in such
Village ; Provided also, that all Elections of School Trustees
that have taken place in Villages and Towns not divided into
Wards, which have been incorporated since one thousand eight
hundred and fifty, shall be and are hereby confirmed, and the
acts of Boards of School Trustees so elected in such Villages
and Towns, are hereby made as valid as if such Boards had
been elected for Villages and Towns incorporated before one

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