

Majority present at School Meeting to elect three Trustees.

III. A majority of the persons present, being freeholders or householders, and being Roman Catholics, and not candidates for election as Trustees, may, at any such meeting, elect three persons resident within such section or an adjoining section to act as Trustees for the management of such Separate School, and any person, being a British subject, not less than twenty-one years of age, may be elected as a Trustee, whether he be a freeholder or householder, or not.*

Notice of establishment of Roman Catholic Separate School.

IV. Notice in writing that such meeting has been held and of such election of Trustees, shall be given by the parties present at such meeting to the Reeve or head of the Municipality, or to the Chairman of the Board of Common School Trustees, in the Township, Incorporated Village, Town, or City in which such School is about to be established, designating by their names, professions, and residences, the persons elected in the manner aforesaid, as Trustees for the management thereof; † and every such notice shall be delivered to the proper officer by one of the Trustees so elected, and it shall be the duty of the officer receiving the same to endorse thereon

* The preliminary proceedings necessary to the establishment of a Separate School must take place within the existing Common School section or ward where the Separate School is desired, and by the Roman Catholic freeholders and householders resident therein, i. e., *Five Roman Catholic heads of families* in such section or ward may call a public meeting of such Roman Catholic residents as are desirous of establishing a Separate School. A majority present at this meeting can elect three resident, or adjoining, Roman Catholics, being British subjects—(tax payers or not)—to act as trustees of the Separate School, subject to the provisions of the twenty-fourth section of this Act.

† The form of notice to be signed by all the Roman Catholics present at the meeting for the establishment of the Roman Catholic Separate School, may be as follows:

School Section, No. . . . , Township of

or

. . . . Ward, City, (or Town) of

Sir,—We, the undersigned Roman Catholics and freeholders and householders resident in Common School Section No. . . . , in this Township (or Ward, in this City [or Town, &c.]) and present at a meeting called to establish a Roman Catholic Separate School within such Common School Section (or Ward) in accordance with the Roman Catholic Separate School Act of 1863, hereby notify you that at a meeting called by [*here state the names of at least five persons calling the meeting*] being Roman Catholic heads of families, and freeholders or householders resident within such School Section (or Ward), and held on the day of , 186. . . , at which the number of Roman Catholic resident freeholders and householders of the said Section (or Ward) were present [*here designate by their names, professions, and places of abode, the persons elected as*