

the meantime the duties of the Chancellor shall be performed by the Vice-Chancellor, or Fellow performing the duties of Vice-Chancellor under the provision hereinafter contained; and the Vice-Chancellor or Fellow so performing the duties of Vice-Chancellor and Fellows, shall have all such powers as are hereby given to the Chancellor; Vice-Chancellor, and Fellows, or to the Senate.

6. The office of Vice-Chancellor of the University shall be an annual office; and the first Vice-Chancellor hereinbefore provided for shall go out of office on the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and the members of the Senate shall, at a sitting to be held by them for that purpose, on some day within a month before the expiration of the tenure of such office, of which due notice shall be given, elect some one of the Fellows of the University to be the Vice-Chancellor, and so from time to time annually; or, in case of the death, resignation or other avoidance of any such Vice-Chancellor before the expiration of his year of office, shall, at a meeting to be held by them for that purpose, as soon as conveniently may be, of which due notice shall be given, elect one other of the said Fellows to be Vice-Chancellor for the remainder of the year in which such death, resignation or other avoidance shall happen; and, until such election, the duties of Vice-Chancellor shall be performed by the senior Fellow for the time being. The seniority of the Fellows first appointed shall be determined by the order in which their names shall appear in the instrument of appointment, or in the announcement of their appointment in the *Royal Gazette*, and the seniority of Fellows afterwards appointed or elected at the same time, by the order in which their names shall appear in the instrument of appointment or the instrument or certificate of election.

7. If at any time by death, resignation or otherwise, a vacancy shall be created in the body of the Fellows, then, and so often as the same shall occur, new Fellows shall be appointed in the manner herein provided, so that the number of twenty-four Fellows may be kept complete, exclusive of the Chancellor and Vice-Chancellor for the time being.

8. To all vacancies which shall from time to time occur while the number of Fellows shall amount to or exceed seventeen, exclusively of the Chancellor and Vice-Chancellor for the time being, the Governor in Council shall from time to time appoint a new Fellow or new Fellows.

9. Until the number of Fellows of the University, who shall have been selected from a list of persons to be nominated by Convocation under the power hereinafter contained shall amount to or exceed six, every second Fellow, or one out of every two Fellows who shall be thereafter appointed by the Governor in Council, shall be chosen from a list of three persons to be nominated by Convocation under the power hereinafter contained; and when and so soon as there shall be six Fellows for the time being who shall have been so selected, thenceforth every fourth Fellow, or one out of every four Fellows who shall be thereafter appointed by the Governor in Council, shall be chosen out of a list of three persons to be nominated by Convocation as aforesaid.

10. If at any time by death, resignation, or otherwise, the number of the Fellows of the University shall be reduced below the number of seventeen, exclusive of the Chancellor and Vice-Chancellor for the time being, then in such case, and so often as the same shall happen the members of the Senate shall, as soon as conveniently may be, at a meeting to be held for that purpose, of which due notice shall be given, elect eight or more fit and proper persons to be Fellows in addition to the then remaining Fellows; to the end that, by means of such election, the number of twenty-four Fellows of such University may be completed, exclusive of the Chancellor and Vice-Chancellor of the Univer-