

Total of real estate to be acquired, limited to what will yield £300 net per annum.

This Act to be deemed a public Act.

Act limited to 10 years, thence, &c.

to, convey for years or otherwise all such estate, title and interest as the corporation of the said Presbyterian Church have, or may hereafter have in the same.

VII. It shall not be lawful for the said corporation to hold real estate for the use of the said congregation which shall exceed in value and yield at any time, more than a clear net yearly income of three hundred pounds currency of this Island.

VII. This Act shall be deemed a public Act, and shall be judicially taken notice of as such by all Judges, Justices of the Peace, and ministers of justice, and other persons whomsoever, without being specially pleaded.

VIII. This Act shall continue and be in force for the space of ten years from the passing thereof, and from thence to the end of the then next session of the General Assembly, and no longer.

CAP. XIII.

An Act to incorporate the Minister and Trustees of the Presbyterian Church of Saint Peter's Bay.

[Passed April 21, 1863.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is desirable for the efficient management of the temporal affairs of the Presbyterian congregation of Saint Peter's Bay, that its minister and trustees be an incorporate body. Be it therefore enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly, as follows, that is to say:

Rev. Henry Crawford, John Jardine, and others, constituted a body corporate.

I. That the Reverend Henry Crawford, *ex officio*, John Jardine, John Sutherland, John B. Cox, John A. MacLaine, Edward Webster, and Montague Coffin, and their successors in office, shall be and are hereby constituted and declared to be a body corporate, under and by the name of "The Minister and trustees of the Presbyterian Church of Saint Peter's Bay," and they and their successors in office shall have a common seal, with power to break, change and alter the same from time to time, as may be found requisite, and shall be in law capable of suing, pleading, defending and answering, and of being sued, impleaded, defended and answered unto in all Courts of Judicature in all manner of actions, and also of contracting and being contracted with relative to lands and funds of said corporation, and the other purposes for which it is constituted, as hereinafter declared; and may establish, put in execution, alter or repeal such by-laws and regulations as

Powers of corporation.