

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

Continuance  
of Act.

## CAP. XX.

An Act to incorporate the minister and trustees of the Presbyterian Church at Elliot River, township number sixty-five.

[Passed April 17, 1862.]

WHEREAS it is desirable for the efficient management of the temporal affairs of the Presbyterian congregation, Elliot river, township number sixty-five, 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:

I. That the Reverend William Ross be *ex officio*, and Ewen McMillan, Richard Burdett, Donald Currie, David McEwen, Donald McLeod, and Norman McKenzie, and their successors for ever, 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, Elliot river," and shall continue in office until the first Tuesday in January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and they and their successors in office for ever, 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 the lands and funds of the 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 shall not be contrary to the constitution and laws of this Island, or the provisions of this Act, as may appear to the said corporation necessary and expedient for the interests thereof, and for these purposes appoint their own chairman and other officers, three members being a quorum in all matters to be done and disposed of by the said corporation.

Certain persons  
incorporated.

Name of corpo-  
ration.

To have a com-  
mon seal.

Capable of  
pleading, &c.

Three members  
to form a quo-  
rum.

II. After the passing of this Act, there shall be chosen annually, and on the first Tuesday in January in each year, three persons from among the ecclesiastically constituted office-bearers in the congregation, and likewise also three persons whose qualification for office shall be in all respects the same

Trustees to be  
annually cho-  
sen, &c.