

*Thirdly.* To elect one or more persons as Trustee or Trustees, to fill up the vacancy or vacancies in the Trustee Corporation according to law: Provided always, that no Teacher in such section shall hold the office of School Trustee.

To elect one or more Trustees.

*Fourthly.* To decide upon the manner in which the salary of the Teacher or Teachers, and all the expenses connected with the operations of the School or Schools, shall be provided for.

To decide upon the manner of providing for the expenses of the School.

VII. And be it enacted, That if any person offering to vote at an annual or other school section meeting, shall be challenged as unqualified by any legal voter in such section, the Chairman presiding at such meeting shall require the person so offering, to make the following declaration:—"I do declare and affirm that I am a resident householder in this school section, and that I am legally qualified to vote at this meeting." And every person making such declaration, shall be permitted to vote on all questions proposed at such meeting; but if any person shall refuse to make such declaration, his vote shall be rejected: Provided always, that every person who shall wilfully make a false declaration of his right to vote, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and punishable by fine or imprisonment at the discretion of the Court, or by a penalty of not less than *one pound five shillings*, or more than *two pounds ten shillings*, to be sued for and recovered by the Trustees of the school section for its use, before any Justice of the Peace, having jurisdiction within such School Section.

Mode of challenging voters at School meetings.

Declaration required.

Proviso: Penalty for making a false declaration and for voting illegally.

Mode of recovering such penalty and its application.

VIII. And be it enacted, That if any person chosen as Trustee, shall refuse to serve, he shall forfeit the sum of *one pound five shillings*; and every person so chosen, and not having refused to accept, who shall at any time refuse or neglect to perform the duties of his office, shall forfeit the sum of *five pounds*; which sum or sums may be sued for and recovered by the Trustees of the school section for its use, before any such Justice of the Peace: Provided always, that any person chosen as Trustee may resign with the consent of his colleagues in office and of the Local Superintendent, expressed in writing.

Penalty of refusing to serve as school Trustee.

Proviso: Mode and conditions of resigning the office of Trustee.

IX. And be it enacted, That in case no annual or other school section meeting be held for want of the proper notice, the Trustees or other person whose duty it was to give such notice, shall respectively and individually forfeit the sum of *one pound five shillings*, to be sued for and recovered for the purposes of such school section, on the commission meeting, as hereinbefore authorized by this Act, for want of the proper notice, then any two resident householders in such section, plaintiff of any resident in such section, before any such Justice of the Peace: Provided always, that in the default of the holding of any school are hereby authorized, within twenty days after the time at which such meeting should have been held, to call such meeting by giving six days' notice, to be posted in at least three public places in such school section; and the meeting thus called shall possess all the power, and perform all the duties of the meeting in the place of which it shall have been called.

Penalty for not giving due notice of annual School meeting.

Mode of recovering and applying such penalty.

Mode of calling a School meeting in default of the annual meeting not being called.

Duties and powers of such meeting.