

Committee of Management and officers.

3. The affairs and business of the said corporation, shall be managed by a Committee of Management composed of the officers of the said corporation, consisting of a President, a first and second Vice-President, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, an Assistant Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, an Assistant Treasurer, a Librarian, a Curator of the Museum, and of six other members forming together the general committee. 5

Property of Association transferred to corporation.

4. All real and personal estate at present the property of the Association, or which may be hereafter acquired by the members in their capacity as such by purchase, donation, or otherwise, and all debts, claims and rights which they may be possessed of in such capacity, shall be and they are hereby transferred to the corporation constituted by this Act, and the said corporation shall be charged with all the liabilities and obligations of the said Association; and the rules, regulations and by-laws, now or hereafter to be established for the management of the said Association shall be and continue to be the rules, regulations and by-laws of the said corporation, until altered or repealed in the manner prescribed by this Act. 15

By-laws continued until repealed.

Competency of members as witnesses.

5. No person otherwise competent to be a witness in any suit, action, or prosecution in which the said corporation may be a party or interested shall be deemed incompetent to be such witness by reason of his being or having been a member or officer of the said corporation or association. 20

Recovery of subscriptions.

6. All subscriptions of members due to the corporation under and by-law, all penalties incurred under any by-law, by any person bound thereby, and all other sums of money due to the corporation, shall be paid to the Treasurer thereof, and in default of payment, may be recovered in any action brought by him in the name of the corporation in any Court of competent civil jurisdiction: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall prevent any member from withdrawing from the said corporation at any time, after payment of all arrears due to the said corporation by him, and after having given written notice of his intention to withdraw from the corporation to the Secretary. 25 30

Proviso, Returns to Government.

7. The corporation shall, at all times when thereunto required by the Governor, or by either branch of the Legislature, make a full return of their property and of their receipts and expenditure, for such period, and with such details and other information as the Governor or either branch of the Legislature may require. 35

Public Act.

8. This Act shall be deemed a public Act.