

at such time and place so to be named by the said Minister, shall hold office until the election of their successors in January next.

AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATIONS.

XXXI. The Members of the Boards of Agriculture and of the
5 Boards of Arts and Manufactures, the Presidents and Vice-
Presidents of all lawfully organized County Agricultural Soci-
eties, and of all Horticultural Societies, and all subscribers of
Five Shillings annually, to the funds of any such Society, shall
10 in their respective sections of the Province, be and constitute
an Agricultural Association for that section.

Composition
of Associa-
tions.

XXXII. The Members of the Board of Agriculture and of the
Board of Arts and Manufactures, and the Presidents and Vice-
Presidents of County Societies, and of all Horticultural Soci-
eties, (or any two members whom a County or Horticultural
15 Society may have appointed Directors instead of its President
and Vice-President,) shall be the Directors of such Agricultural
Association, and it shall be lawful for the Agricultural Associa-
tion to elect a Treasurer.

Directors and
Treasurer of
Association.

XXXIII. The said Associations shall each hold an Annual
20 Fair or Exhibition, which shall be opened to competitors from
any part of the Province, and the said Directors shall hold an
annual meeting during the Week of the annual Exhibition, and
may at such meeting elect a President and Vice-Presidents,
and appoint the place for holding the next meeting and Exhibi-
25 tion of the Association, and may make rules and regulations
for the management of such Exhibition, and may appoint a local
Committee at the place where such exhibition is appointed to
be held, and prescribe the powers and duties of the said Com-
mittee.

Annual Fair
or Exhibition
and Meeting.

XXXIV. The Board of Agriculture, with whom shall for this
30 purpose be associated the President and Vice-President of the
Board of Arts and Manufactures, or any two persons from time
to time named by the said Board in place of such President and
Vice-President, shall be the Council of the Association, with
35 full power to act for and on behalf of the Association between
the annual meetings thereof, and all grants of money, sub-
scriptions, or other funds made or appropriated to or for the use
of the Association, (except money collected by or granted to
any local Committee for the local expenses of an Exhibition)
40 shall be received by and expended under the direction of the
said Board as such Council, and the Secretary of the Board,
together with the Secretary of the Board of Arts and Manufac-
tures, shall be *ex officio* joint Secretaries of the Association.

Council of
Association.

XXXV. All contracts and all legal proceedings by, with, or
45 concerning the Association, shall be made and had with the

Contracts and
legal proceed-
ings.