

Secretary may deliver to the minister, churchwardens and vestry of the said church, a conveyance or conveyances of said pews, which shall be signed by the Lieutenant Governor or other Administrator of the government; and such conveyance or conveyances shall vest in the said minister, churchwardens and vestry, the said three pews, and the property therein absolutely to be sold, let, or otherwise disposed of, or held by them for the use and benefit of the said church.

III. The said sum of one hundred pounds shall, on receipt thereof by the Colonial Secretary, be by him paid into the treasury, to and for the use of her Majesty's government.

CAP. XII.

An Act to incorporate the Minister and Trustees of the Presbyterian Church of Bay Fortune.

[Passed April 21, 1863.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS, it is desirable for the efficient management of the temporal affairs of the Presbyterian congregation of Bay Fortune, 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, and divers others, constituted a body corporate

Powers of corporation.

I. That the Reverend Henry Crawford, *ex officio*, James Dingwell, Alexander Leslie, Daniel Flynn, William Henry Williams, William Henderson, Charles Aitken, James MacKenzie and William Robertson, 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 Bay Fortune," 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 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, four members, being a quorum in all matters to be done and disposed of by the said corporation.

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