

2. In cases where sections fail to determine, in annual meeting, which member of the Board of Trustees shall retire from office, and to fill the annual vacancy in the Trusteeship, it shall be the duty of the Inspector to determine which Trustee shall retire: and the Commissioners shall fill such vacancy in the manner directed by Law.

3. The Commissioners are authorized by Law to name a committee of not less than three of their number to appoint Trustees of Schools as occasion may arise between the half-yearly meetings of the full Board. The Council strongly recommends that such a committee be named by each Board. A careful record of all appointments made by the committee must be kept and reported to the Board, to be entered in the minutes. The Inspector shall be *ex officio* Secretary to the committee.

4. When, in any section, the entire number of resident rate-payers is less than twelve, a requisition for the appointment of Trustees or a Trustee, shall be deemed valid if signed by a majority of such rate-payers.

5. No person shall be dismissed from the office of Trustee by the Commissioners for refusal to act, or neglect of duty, without being notified at least five days previous to such dismissal, in order that he may have opportunity to present, in writing or otherwise, any reason he may have to urge against the same.