

time, when required so to do by the Governor-in-Council, to render an account in detail of all moneys received by them as such Trustees, specifying the sources from which the same have arisen or been received, and the manner in which the same have been invested and expended, and all such particulars as may be necessary to shew the state of the funds and endowment of the said Hospital; and the said Trustees shall also lay an annual statement of their affairs before both branches of the Legislature within thirty days after the commencement of each Session. 5

May sue and be sued.

3. The said Trustees, by the name aforesaid, may sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, in all and every the Courts of Law in this Province. 10

Casting vote of President.

4. The said Trustees shall form a Board who shall proceed, as soon as they are organized, by the election of one of the said Trustees by the said Corporation of the town of Sorel, and the appointment of four other Trustees by the Governor in Council, to name a President of the said Board; and in case of an equal division of votes in the said Board, on any matter or proceeding therein, the said President shall have a casting vote, and his decision shall be final. 15

Medical Staff.

5. The said Trustees may name, constitute and appoint a Medical Staff, to be composed of not more than three licensed Physicians and Surgeons, to attend to the wants of the inmates of the said Hospital, with power to fix the duration of their office, to remove them and appoint others in their stead, and to fix such salary and emoluments as they may deem advisable. 20

Duties of Secretary.

6. The Clerk or Secretary and Agent of the said Trustees mentioned in the second section of this Act, shall be the Secretary of the Board of Trustees, and shall, in such capacity, be the person on whom all process issuing out of any Court of Law in this Province shall be served, touching and concerning any matters or proceedings relating to the said Hospital, and shall be and is hereby authorized to affix the Seal of the said Corporate Body to any Act or Acts, Deed or Deeds, requiring the same. 25

May dispose of lands.

7. The said Trustees for the time being shall have power and authority to sell and dispose of any lot or parcel of land which may belong to the said Hospital, and which it may be deemed advantageous to dispose of. 35

Powers to borrow money.

8. It shall be lawful for the said Trustees, and they are hereby authorized, from time to time, to borrow, for the purposes of the said Hospital, such sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the whole the sum of five thousand pounds currency, as they may lawfully require for the purposes of the said Hospital, and to issue a Debenture or Debentures, for the raising of such loan in such sum or sums, at such rate of interest, and for such period or periods, as the said Trustees may find expedient, and to hypothecate, for the securing of such loan, any real estate belonging to the said Corporation: Provided always, that no such debenture shall be issued for a longer period than twenty years, or for a sum under one hundred pounds, or bear a higher rate of interest than eight per cent., and that the interest thereon shall be payable half-yearly. 40

Limitation.

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