

- Directors. **2.** The persons named in section one of this Act shall be the provisional directors of the Association.
- Head office. **3.** The head office of the Association shall be in the town of Vankleek Hill, in the county of Prescott, in the province of Ontario, or in such other place in Canada, as may from time to time be determined by by-law of the Association. 5
- Branches. **4.** The Association may, from time to time, establish branches of its Order at any place or places within the Dominion of Canada. 10
- Objects. **5.** The objects of the Association shall be the instruction and Christian education of children, the training of teachers, the keeping and maintaining of seminaries, boarding schools and other schools, works of charity, such as hospitals, orphanages, houses of refuge and other similar educational and charitable undertakings, and the advancement generally in any other way of education, religion, charity and benevolence; but nothing in this section contained shall be construed as conferring upon the Association any power to carry out the said objects as regards any matter falling within the exclusive jurisdiction of any province of Canada, except by virtue of and under the laws of such province. 15
- Provincial rights saved.
- By-laws. **6.** The Association may, from time to time, enact such by-laws, not contrary to law, as it may deem necessary for the government of the affairs of the Association and for greater certainty, but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing terms of this section for the following purposes, that is to say:— 20
- (a) The administration, the direction and the control of the property and business belonging to them; 30
 - (b) The internal economy, the qualifications, the nomination, the election, the number, the functions, the powers, the duties and the remuneration of the directors, officers, members and servants of the Association and of its branches; 35
 - (c) The qualifications, the admission, the retirement and the dismissal of members of the Association;
 - (d) The convocation of meetings, either ordinary or extraordinary, of the Association and of its branches;
 - (e) The determination of the necessary quorum and the proceedings to be followed at such meetings. 40
- Acquisition of property now held by the Association. **7.** The Association may acquire all lands, tenements, hereditaments and property, real or personal, situate within the Dominion of Canada, belonging to and used, held, occupied, possessed or enjoyed by the Association. 45