

CHAP. 74. lars of the said seminary in all their liberal arts and sciences, and in the ancient and modern tongues and languages, who shall be severally styled Professors of such arts, sciences, languages or tongues, as they shall be nominated and appointed for, according to each particular nomination and appointment; and the said principal, vice-principal and professors, so constituted and appointed from time to time, shall be known and distinguished for ever as one learned body or faculty, by the name of The Principal, Vice-Principal and Professors, of Baltimore College, in the State of Maryland, and in that name shall be capable of exercising such powers and authorities as the trustees of the said college, and their successors, shall by their ordinances, think necessary to delegate to them, for the instruction, discipline and government, of the said seminary, and of all the students, scholars, ministers and servants, belonging to the same; and the said principal and vice-principal, professors, students, scholars, and such necessary ministers and servants as give constant attendance upon the business of the said college, shall be exempted from all rates and taxes on their salaries, and from military duties, except in the case of an actual invasion of the state, and when general military law is declared.

Yearly value of estate not to exceed 18000.

9. **AND BE IT ENACTED,** That the yearly value of the messuages, houses, lands, tenements, rents, annuities or other hereditaments and real estate, of the said college and corporation, exclusive of the buildings and lot, shall not exceed nine thousand pounds current money, to be reckoned in silver milled dollars of the United States at the present rate and weight; and all gifts to the said college and corporation, after the yearly value of their estates shall amount to nine thousand pounds as aforesaid, and all bargains and purchases to be made by the same corporation, which may increase the yearly value of said estate above or beyond the sum aforesaid, shall be absolutely void and of none effect.

Trustees to meet four times a year.

10. **AND BE IT ENACTED,** That the said trustees, and their successors, shall meet at least four times in every year in stated quarterly meetings, to be appointed by their own ordinances, and at such other times as by their said ordinances they may direct, in order to examine the progress of the students and scholars in literature, to hear and determine on all complaints and appeals, and upon all matters touching the discipline of the seminary, and the good and wholesome execution of their ordinances; in all which examinations, meetings and determinations, such number of the said trustees duly met, (provided they be not less than eleven,) shall be a quorum.

By 1807, ch. 97, seven trustees make a quorum.

May make ordinances for government of college.

11. **AND BE IT ENACTED,** That a majority of the said trustees for the time being, when duly assembled at any quarterly or other meeting, upon due notice given to the whole body, shall have full power and authority to make fundamental ordinances for the government of the said college, and the instruction of youth as aforesaid, and by these ordinances to appoint such a number of their own body, not less than nine, (a) as they may think proper, to be a quorum for transacting all general and necessary business of the said seminary, and making temporary rules for the government of the same, and also by the same fundamental ordinances to delegate

(a) See note under the preceding section.