

CHAP. 371. annually thereafter, at the place designated by the board aforesaid as the proper place for the school house of their respective districts, and then elect four trustees to act in conjunction with one to be appointed by the board of primary schools as aforesaid, as a board of trustees.

Elect 4 trustees

Their duties defined

Sec. 5. *And be it enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the board of trustees of each district, to ascertain and determine what scholars shall be admitted in their school, who shall be entitled to the poor school fund, and also shall have full power and authority to admit such other scholars as may be able to contribute to said school upon such terms as they may determine, not exceeding one dollar per month, and it shall be their further duty to examine and ascertain the qualification of any teacher or teachers, that may apply for employment as a teacher to their school, before employing such teacher, and to visit their schools every two months during the time it is in operation, to examine the scholars and to see that their school is properly conducted in every particular, and they are hereby authorised to make and adopt such rules and regulations for the government of their school as they may deem proper and necessary, to dismiss the teachers of their school, whenever the interest of the school in their judgment may require it.

Shall report annually

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted,* That the trustees of each district shall make a true and full report annually to the board of primary education, at their first meeting after the first day of June, the whole number of children educated at their school the past year, the period that each has gone, and the price paid for the tuition of each scholar, designating the proper subjects of the free school fund, and the condition of their district generally, and the school house of said district.

Case of vacancy

Sec. 7. *And be it enacted,* That in the event any vacancy shall occur from resignation, death, removal out of the school district, refusal to serve, the remaining member or members of the board shall have the right to fill such vacancy until the next election of trustees.

On report of trustees

Sec. 8. *And be it enacted,* That when any district board of trustees, shall have organized as herein re-