

to be posted up in public places. The corporate concerns of said seminary shall be managed by a board of trustees, consisting of five members, three of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. They shall be elected by the stockholders on the first Monday of April annually, and shall hold their offices for the term of one year, and until their successors are duly elected. In the election of trustees each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote for every share by him owned, and may vote in person or by proxy. Said trustees shall elect one of their number to be president of their board, and shall have power to fill vacancies in their own body. If any election shall not be made on the day designated by this act, such election may be held on any other day, provided a notice of the time and place of holding such election, signed by three of the [21] stockholders, be posted up at two or more public places, in and near the town of Grandview aforesaid, twenty days before such election.

SEC. 5. **Power of trustees to appoint agents and other officers—to make by-laws, etc.—to make deeds.** The board of trustees shall have power to appoint subordinate officers and agents, to make, ordain, and establish such ordinances, rules and regulations as they may deem necessary for the good government of said seminary, its officers, teachers and pupils, and for the management of the property and affairs of the said corporation to the best advantage, not inconsistent with the laws of the United States, nor of this territory.

SEC. 6. **Same to be signed by the president, two of the board attest.** That all deeds and other instruments of conveyance shall be made by order of the trustees, sealed with the seal of the corporation, signed by the president, and by him acknowledged in his official capacity, and attested by two other members of the board of trustees.

SEC. 7. **Act may be amended or repealed.** That any future legislature shall have power to alter, amend or repeal this act, which shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, 24th January, 1843.

CHAPTER 22.

GEORGE DUDEN.

AN ACT to legalize the acts of George Duden, a justice of the peace.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the appointment of George Duden to the office of justice of the peace in Van Buren township, Van Buren county, by the trustees of said township, is hereby made valid for the time he was appointed to fill said office, and that all his acts as justice of the peace, since his appointment by said trustees, are hereby made good and valid, in the same manner as if he had been elected and duly qualified, as provided by the law for the election of justices of the peace.

[Presented, 24th January, 1843; retained three days by the governor, and takes effect without his approval.]