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PART VI.

BILLS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 30th September 1879:—

Bill No. 16 of 1879.

THE VACCINATION BILL, 1879.

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section two shall be made to appear by some memorandum under the hand of the chairman for the time being of the meeting at which such appointment is made.

Such memorandum shall be in the form set forth in the schedule hereto annexed, or as near thereto as circumstances allow, and shall be executed in the presence of such meeting, and attested by two or more credible witnesses.

4. When any new trustees have been appointed,

Property to vest in new trustees without conveyance.

whether in the manner prescribed by any such instrument as aforesaid or in the manner herein-

before provided, the property subject to the trust shall forthwith, notwithstanding anything contained in any such instrument, become vested, without any conveyance or other assurance, in such new trustees and the old continuing trustees jointly, or, if there are no old continuing trustees, in such new trustees wholly, upon the same trusts and with and subject to the same powers and provisions as it was vested in the old trustees.

5. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed

Saving of existing modes of appointment and conveyance.

to invalidate any appointment of new trustees, or any conveyance of any property which may hereafter be made as heretofore was by law required.

6. Any number not less than three-fifths of

Provision for dissolution of societies and adjustment of their affairs.

the members of any such body as aforesaid may at a meeting convened for the purpose determine that such body shall be dissolved; and thereupon it shall be dissolved forthwith, or at the time then agreed upon; and all necessary steps shall be taken for the disposal

and settlement of the property of such body, its claims and liabilities, according to the rules of such body applicable thereto, if any, and, if not, then as such body at such meeting may determine:

provided that, in the event of any dispute arising among the members of such body, the adjustment of its affairs shall be referred to the principal Court of original civil jurisdiction of the district in which the chief building of such body is situate; and the Court shall make such order in the matter as it deems fit.

7. If upon the dissolution of any such body

there remains, after the satisfaction of all its debts and liabilities, any property whatsoever, the same shall not be paid to or distributed among the members of such body or any of them, but shall be given to some other body of persons associated for the purpose of maintaining religious worship to be determined by the votes of not less than three-fifths of the members present at a meeting convened for the purpose, or in default thereof by such Court as last aforesaid.

Upon a dissolution no member to receive profit.

8. When any question arises as to whether

any person is a member of any such body as aforesaid, or as to the validity of any appointment under this Act, any person interested in such question may apply, by petition, to the High Court for its opinion on such question. A copy of such petition shall be served upon, and the hearing thereof may be attended by, such other persons interested in the question as the Court thinks fit.

Any opinion given by the Court on an application under this section shall be deemed to have the force of a declaratory decree.

The costs of every application under this section shall be in the discretion of the Court.

THE SCHEDULE.

(See section 3.)

Memorandum of the appointment of new trustees of the (describe the Church, chapel or other buildings and property) situate

at a meeting duly convened and held for that purpose (in the vestry of the said) on the day of 18 , A. B. of Chairman.

Names and descriptions of all the trustees on the constitution or last appointment of trustees made the day of

(here insert the same).

Names and descriptions of all the trustees in whom the said (chapel) and property now become legally vested.

First.—Old continuing trustees :—

(here insert the same).

Second.—New trustees now chosen and appointed :—

(here insert the same).

Dated this day of 187 .

Signed by the said A. B. as Chairman of the said Meeting, at and in the presence of the said Meeting on the day and year aforesaid in the presence of—

C. D.
E. F.

A. B.,

Chairman of the said Meeting.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India, Legislative Department.