

EDUCATIONAL ENDOWMENTS

(SCOTLAND) ACT, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, have prepared the Draft of a Scheme for the future administration of the Endowment known as MORRISON'S ACADEMY, in the County of Perth, whereof an abstract is appended. The Commissioners will, in terms of the Twenty-fourth Section of said Act, receive and consider any objection made to them in writing by any public body or persons interested respecting such Scheme, and any amendments proposed thereon, provided that the same be delivered at their Office, at No. 46 George Street, Edinburgh, within two calendar months from the date hereof. Printed copies of the said Scheme may be had on application to Messrs. A. & C. Black, Booksellers, Edinburgh, Sale Agents for H.M. Stationery Office, at 4d. per copy.

ALEX. GIBSON,
Secretary to Commissioners.

46 George Street, Edinburgh,
25th February 1887.

Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowment known as Morrison's Academy, hitherto held and administered under the Trust Deed and Settlement of Thomas Morrison, dated 2nd December 1813, with Codicil thereto dated 16th August 1820, recorded in the Books of Council and Session 5th September 1820.

Preamble.

1 and 2.—Future Administration; Transference of Property.

3. Constitution and Election of Governing Body.—The governing body, hereinafter called the governors, shall be constituted as follows:—

Six shall be elected by the existing trustees of the said Thomas Morrison, to hold office for their lives;

Two shall be elected by the Senatus of the University of Edinburgh;

Two shall be appointed by the School Board of Crieff;

One shall be elected by the Chairmen of the School Boards of Ardoch, Auchterarder, Madderty, Gask, and Trinity-Gask;

One shall be elected by the Chairmen of the School Boards of Comrie, Monzievaird, Monzie, Muthill, and Fowlis-Wester.

On the death or resignation of each of the last four life governors, one shall be elected in each of their respective places by the Commissioners of Supply for the County of Perth. The governors may be elected by the several electing bodies, either out of their own number or otherwise. The governors elected by the Senatus of the University of Edinburgh, and the Chairmen of the School Boards of Ardoch, Auchterarder, Madderty, Gask, and Trinity-Gask, shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of five years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors elected by the School Board of Crieff, and the Chairmen of the School Boards of Comrie, Monzievaird, Monzie, Muthill, and Fowlis-Wester, shall, in the

case of the first election, hold office for a period of three years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors shall in the case of all elections subsequent to the first, hold office for a period of five years from and after the expiry of the term of office of their predecessors, except as hereinafter provided. The governors to be elected by the Commissioners of Supply shall be elected at the next statutory half-yearly meeting of the Commissioners after receiving notice of the vacancy, and shall hold office for a period of five years, and until the next statutory half-yearly meeting thereafter. Each election shall be made at a meeting convened and conducted according to the ordinary rules and practice of the electing body. Any governor may be re-elected. The first governors shall be elected as soon as conveniently may be after the date of this Scheme. The clerk or other officer of the governors shall, at least one month before the expiry of the term of office of any governor, give notice to the proper electing body, who shall, as soon as conveniently may be after such notice, elect a governor to hold office from the expiry of said term. Any election not made as aforesaid within three months from the date of this Scheme, or from the date of the notice of expiry of a term of office, or from the date of the notice of a vacancy, as hereinafter prescribed, shall in that case be made by the then existing governors, provided always that in the case of the governors to be elected by the Commissioners of Supply, no election shall be made by the governors unless the Commissioners have failed to make the election at the first half-yearly meeting after the notice has been given. The governors to be elected by the Chairmen of School Boards shall be elected by voting papers which, except as hereinafter provided, shall be issued by the clerk or other officer of the governors to each of said chairmen, and which shall be returnable to said clerk or other officer within one month from the date of issue. The election shall be determined at the first meeting of governors held after the return of said papers, and in the event of an equality of votes a casting vote shall be given by said meeting of governors. Each chairman shall vote as an individual, and shall not have more than one vote in respect of being the Chairman of more than one School Board. In the case of the first election, the voting-papers shall be issued by the clerk to the present governing body, as soon as conveniently may be after the date of this Scheme, and shall be returnable to said clerk within two months from the date of this Scheme; the said clerk shall cause an intimation of the first meeting to be sent to the candidates having a majority of votes, but in the event of an equality of votes or of any question arising, the election shall be determined at the first meeting of governors held under the eighteenth section hereof, and in any case the voting-papers returned shall be submitted to said meeting. The time of issuing the voting-papers for all future elections shall be determined by the governors.

4-10. Vacancies; Meetings; Chairman; Quorum; and Execution of Deeds and Minutes.

11-17. Power to Appoint Committees; Accounts; Business Arrangements; Casual Profits; Powers of Sale and Investment; Audit.

18-21. Clauses relating to Transference of Administration.

22. Power to Borrow or Expend for Girls' School.—The governors shall have power to