

notice as may be possible to the Provost and all the Fellows of such meeting, and of the question or questions proposed to be discussed thereat. The Provost (or, in his absence, the Senior Fellow present) shall preside and shall exercise all the powers of a Chairman.

Stated General Meetings.

2. There shall be two Stated General Meetings at least of the Provost and Fellows in every year on such days as the Provost and Fellows shall by resolution of any Stated General Meeting appoint. Any Stated General Meeting may be adjourned by resolution of the meeting to a day to be specified in the resolution.

Casting Vote.

3. Whenever the votes shall be equal at any meeting, the Provost, or in his absence, the Senior Fellow present, shall give a casting vote, in addition to his own vote.

Seal.

4. The Seal of the College shall not be fixed to any act or document, except in the presence of the Provost (or, in his absence, the Senior Fellow in residence), one Bursar, and at least one other Fellow.

Regulations as to Meetings and Notices.

5. The Provost and Fellows may make from time to time, at any Stated General Meeting, such rules for regulating the proceedings at College meetings, and for determining what business shall be transacted thereat, and for fixing (if they shall think fit) the notice to be given before holding any meeting or before bringing forward any question, as they shall deem expedient.

XVII.—BYLAWS AND NOTICES.

Bylaws.

1. Bylaws binding on the members of the College (not being repugnant to any of the Statutes of the College in force for the time being) may be made by the Provost and Fellows at Stated General Meetings; and such Bylaws may be enforced by pecuniary penalties.

Notices.

2. Any notice required by these Statutes to be given to any person may be given either by delivering it to him, or by leaving it at his usual or last known place of abode, or by sending it by post addressed to him at his usual or last known place of abode in the United Kingdom. The non-receipt of a notice shall not invalidate the proceedings at any meeting to which it refers.

XVIII.—THE VISITOR.

Visitor.

1. The Archbishop of York for the time being shall be the Visitor of the College, in whom shall be vested solely and exclusively the whole visitorial jurisdiction over the College and all its members.

General Visitation.

2. It shall be lawful for the Visitor, once in every ten years (or oftener, if and whenever he shall deem it expedient for enforcing the due observance of the Statutes in force for the time being to do so) without any request or application by the College or any of its members, to visit the College, and to exercise at such visitation all the powers which are by law incident to the office of General Visitor of a College. It shall be lawful for the Visitor at any such visitation, or if he shall think fit at other times, to require the Provost and Fellows to answer in writing touching any matter as to which the Visitor may deem it expedient to inquire, for the purpose of satisfying

himself whether the Statutes in force for the time being are duly observed.

Interpretation of Statutes.

3. As often as any question shall arise on which the Provost and Fellows shall be unable to agree, depending wholly or in part on the construction of any of the Statutes of the College, it shall be lawful for the Provost and Fellows, or for the Provost, or for any three of the Fellows, to submit the same, so far as the decision of the question at issue depends upon the construction of the Statutes of the College to the Visitor; and the Visitor shall declare what is the true construction of such Statute or Statutes with reference to the case submitted to him.

Appeal.

4. It shall be lawful for the Provost, or for any Fellow if he shall conceive himself aggrieved by any act or decision of the Provost and Fellows, and for any Scholar, Bible Clerk, or Exhibitioner, who may have been deprived of his Scholarship, Bible Clerkship, or Exhibition, to appeal against such act or decision or sentence to the Visitor; and the Visitor shall adjudicate on such appeal, and shall disallow and annul such act or decision, and shall reverse or vary such sentence, if he shall deem just.

Disallowance of Bylaws, &c.

5. It shall be lawful for the Visitor, either *proprio motu*, or on the complaint of the Provost or any of the Fellows, to disallow or annul any Bylaw or resolution of the Provost and Fellows, which shall, in the Visitor's judgment, be repugnant to any of the Statutes of the College in force for the time being.

6. If in any case it shall appear to the satisfaction of the Visitor that, owing to any cause, the Revenues of the College are insufficient to provide for the charges created by these Statutes and to defray the rest of its expenditure, it shall be lawful for the Visitor, on a petition presented to him by order of the Provost and Fellows at a Stated General Meeting, held after notice of the business to be transacted thereat, to direct that any vacant Fellowship or Scholarship or Exhibition shall, either permanently or for a limited period, be kept vacant, or (subject to vested interests) that the payments directed to be made out of the tuition fund be reduced, or that the charges created by these Statutes shall be rateably diminished either permanently or for a limited period: Provided that no such diminution shall be made in the charge imposed by Statute XX., unless thirty days' notice thereof shall have been previously given to the Vice-Chancellor of the University.

XIX.—PROVISIONS RELATIVE TO THE UNIVERSITY.

Representations as to Provisions relating to University.

1. If at any time it appear to the Hebdomadal Council of the University that any provisions of these Statutes, or of any other Statutes of the College in force for the time being, respecting the accounts of the College, or the audit or publication thereof, or the exercise of the borrowing powers of the College, or any other provision of such Statutes, by the non-observance of which any interest of the University is liable to be prejudicially affected, is not duly observed, the Hebdomadal Council may submit a representation to the Visitor; and the Visitor shall, upon receiving such representation, inquire into the matter, and after considering any representation made by the College, make such order therein as