

I do solemnly promise or declare," etc. And it shall not be lawful to add to any oath the words "So help me God," or any imprecatory words whatever.

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ing oath. 8 B. The manner of administering oaths shall be by requiring the person making the same to hold up his hand in token of his recognition of the solemnity of the act, except in those cases wherein this form is not practicable, or when it shall appear that some other mode is more binding upon the conscience of the swearer.

Approved March 22, 1898.

CHAPTER 76.

AN ACT to change the name and amend the charter of The Jacob Tome Institute of Port Deposit, Cecil County, a corporation incorporated under the General Incorporation Laws of the State of Maryland, the certificate of incorporation whereof is recorded among the corporation record books of Cecil County, in Liber D. S. No. 1, folio 220, &c.

Preamble. WHEREAS, The Jacob Tome Institute of Port Deposit, Cecil county, is a corporation incorporated under the General Incorporation Laws of this State for the creation and maintenance of an educational institution in the town of Port Deposit, in the State of Maryland, for the free education and instruction of white children under the age of eighteen years, and furnishing for their use, free of charge, such books, apparatus, instruments and machinery as shall be necessary and proper for their instruction; and

Preamble. WHEREAS, Said corporation is a benevolent educational institution whose affairs are not conducted for profit; and

Preamble. WHEREAS, Said corporation is desirous of changing its name by leaving off the words "of Port Deposit, Cecil County," and of amending its charter so as to enlarge its powers, extend its privileges, acquire property for its uses and purposes by condemnation, have the property it now possesses, and such property as it may hereafter acquire, exempt from taxation, and provide for the protection and security of its endowment fund; therefore,

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stitution. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the name of The Jacob Tome Institute of Port Deposit, Cecil county, a corporation incorporated under the General Incorporation Laws of this State, the certificate of incorporation thereof being recorded among the corporation