

Preamble. WHEREAS, Said corporation has been formed for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a hospital for sick and homeless persons; and the property rights of said corporation are under the control and management of the following trustees: Aquilla R. Yeakle, L. Victor Baughman, G. Waring Tyson, Thomas H. Haller, Adrain McCardell, Jacob Rohbeck, John U. Markell, Cyrus F. Flook, W. Irving Parsons, Edward Y. Goldsborough, David C. Winebrener, David Lowenstein, J. Welty Fahenly and Hammond Urner; therefore,

Appropriation. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Treasurer of Maryland, on the warrant of the Comptroller, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the order of the said Trustees of said "The Frederick City Hospital Association of Frederick County, Maryland," the sum of five hundred dollars, to be used in erecting a suitable building and maintaining the same as a hospital at Frederick City, in Frederick County, Maryland.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 10, 1900.

CHAPTER 362.

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 35 of the Maryland Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Evidence," to follow after Section thirty-five of said Article, under the sub-title "Proof of Consideration," and to be known as Section 35A.

Proof of consideration. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the following new section be added to Article 35, entitled "Evidence," of the Maryland Code of Public General Laws, to follow immediately after Section thirty-five of said Article, under the sub-title "Proof of Consideration:"

Not necessary in writing. Sec. 35A. Where an action, suit or other proceeding is brought for the purpose of charging any person and a special promise to be answerable for the debt, default or miscarriage of another person, it shall not be necessary to show that the consideration for such promise is in writing.

Approved April 7, 1900.