

In force.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from its passage.

CHAPTER 247.

Passed Mar. 22, 1867. AN ACT to establish and incorporate an Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, of the State of Maryland.

Incorporated
—power and
privileges.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That William J. Ross, Lawrence I. Brengle, Thomas Sims, H. C. Naill, James M. Coale, Grafton Duvall, A. Fuller Crane, Joseph B. Brinkley, Enoch Pratt, Grayson Eichelberger, Philip F. Thomas, Richard D. Carmichael, Isaac D. Jones, Albert C. Green, William Galloway, J. P. R. Gilliss, Daniel Weisel, Oliver Miller, Jacob Reese, Richard John Bowie, William J. Albert, George Vickers, John A. J. Creswell, James T. Briscoe, Curtis Davis, Barnes Compton, George F. Maddox, Oden Bowie, Charles F. Goldsborough and William H. Watkins, be and they are hereby made and constituted a body politic and corporate by and under the name of the President and Visitors of the Asylum, for deaf and dumb mutes of the State of Maryland, and by that name shall have perpetual succession, may sue and be sued in any Court of this State, may have and use a common seal, and may at their pleasure, alter and change the same, and may purchase, hold and receive, sell, demise or dispose of any property, real, personal, or mixed, as they shall judge to be most beneficial and advantageous to the good and charitable ends and purposes of the Institution, and may receive donations and legacies of personal estate and money for the promotion of the objects of the Institution.

Meeting of
Visitors, when
and where held

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That a meeting of the Visitors appointed under this Act or a majority of them, shall be held at the City of Frederick, on