

Ludwick Greenwood, Philip Greenwood and Peter Engle, that they, together with sundry other persons of Frederick county, purchased in the year one thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight, of a certain Philip Greenawalt, four acres of land for the purpose of erecting a school-house; that since the erection of said school, all the persons interested are either dead or removed to the western country, and that the petitioners aforesaid are the only persons interested; and have prayed that a law may pass empowering Joseph Greenawalt and Emanuel Brower to sell and convey such part of the four acres as may be necessary for them to erect a suitable building for a school, and a place of public worship, therefore,

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the said Joseph Greenawalt and Emanuel Brower, or the survivor of them, be and they are hereby authorised and empowered to sell and dispose of such part of the four acres of land, as they may deem necessary for the purpose of erecting a school-house, which house, when so erected, may also be used as a place of public worship.

Authorised to sell certain land to erect a school-house.

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said Greenawalt and Brower, or the survivor of them, on receipt of the purchase money, shall by a good and sufficient deed, duly executed and acknowledged according to law, grant, bargain and sell, make over and convey, to the purchaser or purchasers thereof, and his, her or their heirs and assigns, for ever, all the right, title, interest and estate, of those persons who purchased the aforesaid four acres of land, in the year one thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight; *Provided nevertheless*, that the said Greenawalt and Brower, before they proceed to said sale, shall give bond, payable to the state of Maryland, with two sureties to be approved of by the judges of Frederick county court, conditioned for the faithful performance of the trust in them vested by this act, which bond shall be lodged with the clerk of said county, to be by him recorded among the land records of said county, and the same, or an office copy thereof, shall be subject to be put in suit by any person or persons interested therein.

To convey said property to purchasers under a certain provision

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3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That Joseph Greenawalt, Jacob Apler, John Greenawalt, John Nicholsonemus and Henry Baker, senior, be and they are hereby appointed trustees of the said school, with power to fill up any vacancies that may happen by death, resignation or refusal to act, of any one or more of the members thereof; and that the said trustees and their successors, or a majority of them, shall, from time to time, and at all times hereafter, appoint such teachers for instructing the scholars in said school, and to make such arrangements and regulations as they may conceive necessary for the good government of said school, and the instruction of the scholars aforesaid.

Trustees of school appointed.

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An Act for the relief of James Dixon, of Calvert County. Lib. TH. Passed Dec. 27. No. 3, fol. 132.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the judges of Calvert county court, or any one of them in the recess of the said court, be, and they, or any one of them as afore-

Benefit of insolvent laws extended to them.