

and the officiating clergyman of the church, in the town of Baltimore, acting under them. CHAP. 139.

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said trustees of the Roman Catholic Church in the town of Baltimore, be and they are hereby authorised and empowered, to sell and dispose of all the right, title and interest, which Robert Sinclair had in and to all that lot or parcel of ground, situated in the precincts of the city of Baltimore aforesaid, and which was heretofore or intended to be leased to the said trustees by the said Robert Sinclair, by indenture of lease bearing date the eleventh day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and five, except so much as the said trustees may have already assigned or disposed of; and upon the sale thereof, or any part thereof, to make good and sufficient deeds of conveyance or assignment to the purchaser or purchasers, and to appropriate and apply the proceeds of the sales thereof towards the completion and finishing of the Cathedral now erecting in the precincts of Baltimore. May sell right of Robert Sinclair

4. AND BE IT ENACTED, That Robert Walsh, Henry Payson, William Lorman, John Hillen and Nathaniel F. Williams, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorised, with the consent, and not otherwise, of all the proprietors of lots bounding on both sides of North West-street in the city of Baltimore, to open and extend Saratoga-street eastwardly of its present width, and in its present direction, to Charles-street, and in that case they are further authorised to shut up North West-street, and to allot, and by deed executed and acknowledged, by any three or more of them, to convey in fee simple, the ground over which said last mentioned street now runs, to and amongst the proprietors of lots bordering on the same, in such proportions as they shall in their discretion judge fair and reasonable, and they shall return a plot of such alterations of said streets to the register of the city of Baltimore, to be filed in his office as a part of said city. Street may be extended

CHAP. CXL.

An Act to incorporate the Patapsco Manufacturing Company. Lib. Passed Jan 24 1816
TH. No 4. fol. 645.

WHEREAS it is represented to the legislature by the petition of Edward Gray, and others, that they have erected a cotton factory on lands owned by them on the river Patapsco, and that they are desirous of increasing their capital stock by voluntary subscriptions of such persons as may incline to associate with them, to enable them to carry on more extensively the manufacturing of cotton, and to establish and carry on such other manufactures and business as may be deemed useful, and have prayed that they may be incorporated, in order to enable them the more effectually to accomplish these purposes; therefore, Preamble

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Edward Gray, Joseph Tagert, William Rogers and Robert Taylor, and all such other persons as shall associate with them by becoming stockholders in the manner herein after provided, their successors and assigns, shall be and they are hereby made and constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name, style and title, of The Patapsco Manufacturing Company, and by the same name, style and title, shall have continual succession. Stockholders incorporated