

byterian Church in Salisbury, in Worcester county, which 1830.  
 may enable them to manage with convenience their tem- CHAP. 102.  
 poral concerns.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Persons incor-*  
*Maryland,* That the following persons, George Todd, porated.  
 Levin Morris, James Morris, John E. Pollitt, Robert Ve-  
 nables, Handy H. Irving, James Hooper, Levin G. Irving,  
 Anthony B. Bennett, Washington Bennett, Humphrey  
 Humphreys, and William Stevens, and their successors to  
 be elected as hereinafter mentioned, with their minister for  
 the time being, shall be and hereby are created and de-  
 clared to be a body politic and corporate, by the name,  
 style and title, of The Committee of the Presbyterian  
 Church in Salisbury, in Worcester county, and by the  
 same name shall have perpetual succession, and shall be able  
 to sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, in any court  
 of law or equity in this state or elsewhere, and to make  
 and have a common seal, and the same to break, alter and  
 renew at their pleasure, and also ordain and establish such  
 by-laws and ordinances as shall appear necessary for regu-  
 lating the temporal concerns of the said church, and for  
 promoting literature within the same, not being repugnant  
 to this act and to the laws of this state.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the successors of the Elections.  
 said committee of the said church shall be elected in the  
 following manner, to wit: the members of the said church,  
 being twenty-one years of age, contributing towards the  
 support of the minister officiating therein, may and shall  
 meet at such place as shall be appointed by said corpora-  
 tion, sometime during the month of May eighteen hundred  
 and thirty-one, and sometime during each and every suc-  
 ceeding May, whereof due notice shall be given by the  
 president of the said corporation for the time being, at the  
 said church, and then and there they, or as many as may  
 attend, shall elect *viva voce*, not less than five, nor more  
 than twelve of the members of the said church, and in the  
 event of a failure by the members of the said church as  
 aforesaid to elect the said committee as is contemplated by  
 this act, then and in that case the members last elected  
 shall continue to be and constitute the said corporation un-  
 til they shall be superseded by the election of a new com-  
 mittee.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted,* That in case of the death or Vacancies.  
 resignation of any lay member of the said body corporate,  
 the remaining members, or a majority of them, shall have  
 full power and authority, at their next or any subsequent  
 meeting, to elect another person in his place.

Sec. 4. *And be it enacted,* That the said corporation, May sell or  
 with the consent and approbation of two-thirds of the lease property.