

crease said salary or to give any extra compensation to the said clerk for any work he may do in his office.

SEC. 2. *Be it enacted*, That all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act be Repealed. and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. *Be it enacted*, That this act shall take In force. effect from the date of its passage.

Approved February 14, 1878.

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## CHAPTER 26.

AN ACT to give the assent of the General Assembly to a devise in the will of Frances Thomson, feme sole, late of Washington county, deceased, to the Trustees of the Presbyterian Church of Hagerstown, in said county.

Whereas Frances Thompson, feme sole, late of Washington county, deceased, by her last will and testament, bearing date the third day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and duly admitted to probate by the Orphans' Court for said county, on the fifth day of December then next following, devised her undivided interest upon certain conditions to her sister for life, or during occupancy, and after that, her said interest should be sold, "And the net proceeds thereof I hereby devise and bequeath to the Trustees of the Presbyterian Church of Hagerstown, in said town, county and state, and their successors forever, to be by them securely invested, and the interest or dividends to arise therefrom shall be applied to the annual salary or support of the pastor or minister of the congregation of said Presbyterian Church;" and Preamble.

Whereas the said "the Trustees of the Presbyterian Church of Hagerstown" are a body corporate under the laws of this State, and are so competent to take under said devise: Preamble.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the assent of the Legislature of