"David's Purchase," for the purpose of having erected thereon a house of worship, and for a burying ground; And whereas, the members of said Dunker Society, by their petition to this General Assembly, express their desire to sell and dispose of the said acre of land, excepting the enclosed grave yard on the said land, and that the proceeds of such sale shall be applied to the erection of another house of worship elsewhere, for the benefit of the same society of christians, and that Emanuel Slifer should be empowered to make such sale for said purposes exclusively.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Emanuel Slifer be and he is here-sell. by authorised and empowered to sell, dispose of and convey in fee simple, the said piece or parcel of land above mentioned, excepting the enclosed grave yard on said land; Provided, that the consideration money, Proviso. after the necessary expenses are deducted in effecting the sale of said land, shall be appropriated by him to the erection of another house of worship for the same denomination of christians, and for their exclusive use and benefit.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take in force. effect from the date of its passage.

CHAPTER 329.

AN ACT to regulate the meetings of the County Commissioners of Allegany county, and to fix the com-28, 1853. pensation of said Commissioners.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the regular meetings of the county commissioners of Allegany county shall be as follows: on the first Monday of January, first Monday of April, first Monday of July, and first Monday of October, in each and every year.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the said county special meetcommissioners shall have power and authority to call a ings. special meeting whenever they, or a majority of them, think the public interest requires such meeting, by giving at least twenty days notice in the newspapers of the county.