

sums over five dollars which shall be contributed from time to time, shall be invested in ground rents, and constitute part of said fund forever. CHAP. 225.

5. *And be it enacted*, That the said president and directors may call a meeting of the contributors at any time when they think the interest of the institution may require it, and any six of the directors shall be a quorum to exercise the powers, and execute the duties, granted and required by this supplement, and may, during the absence of any officer, appoint an officer, *pro tempore*, to supply his place. Meetings.

6. *And be it enacted*, That so much of the act, entitled, An act incorporating the Baltimore Second Dispensary, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and seventeen, as is contrary to, and inconsistent with, the provisions of this supplement, be and the same is hereby repealed; *Provided*, that this act shall not take effect unless the directors of the Baltimore Second Dispensary shall signify their assent to the same, in writing, under their corporate seal, to the governor and council of the state, on or before the first day of January next. Repeal. Provis

CHAP. CCXXVI.

A Supplement to the act entitled, An act to aid conveyances of Land im- Properly enrolled, and for other purposes. Passed Mar 12 1827

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That so much of the seventh section of the act to which this is a supplement, passed at November session, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five, chapter nine, as requires the clerks of the several county courts to keep in their respective offices the record book in which shall hereafter be entered the substance of any deed for conveying of lands, or other real estate, and all and every part of the said section, which is inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed. Part of an act repealed.

2. *And be it enacted*, That every record book, (which shall be about eighteen inches and one quarter of an inch in length, and eleven and an half inches in breadth, containing not more than seven quires of paper, with the number marked on each page,) in which the substance of any deed conveying lands, or other real estate, shall hereafter be entered agreeably to the provisions of the seventh section of the act to which this is a supplement, and the seventh section of the act, entitled, An additional supplement to an act to provide for the organization and regulation of the courts of common law in this state, and for the administration of justice therein, passed at November session, in the year one thousand eight hundred and six, chapter ninety, and not a copy of such record entry, shall, on or before the first day of June in each and every year, be transmitted by the clerk of the county court to the clerk of the court of appeals of his shore, who shall receive such record book, and place the same among the records of his office, without fee or reward; and a copy taken from any such record book, properly attested by the clerk of the court of appeals, shall be admitted in evidence in the manner prescribed by the seventh section of the act to which this is a supplement. Record books to be yearly transmitted to clerk of court of appeals.