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Obstructions may be removed and sold.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That if the obstructions in said alley so to be widened, be not removed within thirty days after the return of the said commissioners as aforesaid, or within thirty days after the final decision by Baltimore county court in case of an appeal, the said commissioners shall cause such obstructions to be removed at the expense of the city, and to sell and dispose of the materials of any building or buildings constituting such obstructions for the benefit of said city.

Compensation to commissioners.

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners shall each receive, as a compensation for their services, two dollars per diem, for every day they may act as such, which compensation shall form a part of the expenses of widening said alley, and shall be assessed and collected in manner aforesaid.

Approval of Mayor and City Council required.

SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall have no effect, unless the same shall be approved by the mayor and city council of Baltimore.

CHAPTER 125.

Passed March 7, 1828.

An act for the relief of Temperance Hudson, of Kent county.

Divorce—name changed.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Temperance Hudson, of Kent county, be, and she is hereby divorced from bed, board and mutual cohabitation, with her husband James Hudson; and that the name of the said Temperance Hudson is hereby changed and altered unto the name of Temperance Newnam, and she shall at all times hereafter be called and known by, and hold and use the name of Newnam only, and by such name shall sue and be sued in any court of law or equity.

Hudson's claims annulled—legal rights granted.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That all the right and title which the said James Hudson, by virtue of his marriage with the said Temperance, now has or may have in any lands, tenements, hereditaments or personal estate belonging to the said Temperance, whether the same be held under a marriage contract or by any other ways or means whatsoever, shall be, and the same are hereby declared to be null and void; and the said Temperance Hudson be, and she is hereby declared capable to have, hold, take, receive, sue for and recover, by compromise, suit or suits in law or equity, all such property, in as full and ample a manner as if she were a feme sole, and had never been married; and to hold use and enjoy the same for her own use and benefit, and the same to dispose of according to her will and pleasure, without the molestation, interference, hindrance or consent of her said husband, or of persons claiming by, from or under her said husband, in the same manner she could or might have done were she a feme sole.

Claims of wife annulled.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the real and personal estate of the said James Hudson shall be, and hereby is discharged