

Title vested
in Maryland.

Sec. 2. *Be it enacted*, That said lot of ground purchased by the Governor, as set forth in the foregoing preamble, rest and remain in the State of Maryland, in fee simple, in trust for all the States that shall participate as hereinafter provided, and said lot of ground shall be devoted in perpetuity for the purpose of the burial and final resting place of the remains of the soldiers who fell at the battle of Antietam or at other points North of the Potomac river during the invasion of Lee, in the summer and fall of eighteen hundred and sixty-two, or died thereafter in consequence of wounds received in said battle or during said invasion.

Incorporated.

Sec. 3. *Be it enacted*, That Thomas A. Boulton, Augustus A. Biggs, Edward Shriver and Charles C. Fulton, Trustees of the State of Maryland, and one Trustee from each of the other States to be appointed by the Governor of their respective States, be and they are hereby created a body politic in law, under the name, style and title of the Antietam National Cemetery, and by that name, style and title, shall have perpetual succession, and be able and capable in law to have and use a common seal, to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, in all courts of law and equity, and to whom shall be conveyed in trust for the purpose above recited, the lot of ground so purchased as aforesaid, said Trustees shall have all the incidental authority necessary to carry into effect the object of their incorporation.

Management
of grounds.

Sec. 4. *Be it enacted*, That the care and management of the grounds referred to in the preamble and second section of this act, are hereby entrusted solely to the Trustees mentioned in the third section of the same, together with other Trustees that may be appointed by the other States and their successors, and it shall be their duty, out of funds that may come into their hands by State appropriations or otherwise, to remove the remains of all the soldiers referred to in the second section of this act, and to have them properly interred in the aforementioned grounds, the remains of the soldiers of the Confederate army to be buried in a part of the grounds separate from those of the Union army, also to lay out and enclose said grounds with a good and sub-