

in or without the State, devised, bequeathed, given or otherwise conveyed, or transferred to said society, not otherwise expressly directed, shall be invested as part of the permanent fund of the society, the interest only of which, with the interest of all monies invested, shall be placed in the hands of the conference or missionary steward to be paid to the ministers or preachers employed as Home Missionaries within the Maryland Conference District, or so much thereof as may be necessary, as the conference may direct.

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted*, That no money shall be drawn from said society, except by a vote of the Maryland Annual Conference, and then only for Home Missionary purposes. Money—how drawn, and for what purpose.

Sec. 7. *And be it enacted*, That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to authorize said society to issue any note, token, scrip, device or other evidence of debt to be used as a currency. Issuing of notes, &c., prohibited.

Sec. 8. *And be it enacted*, That the General Assembly reserves the right to alter, amend or repeal this act at pleasure. Reservation.

Sec. 9. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage. In force.

CHAPTER 36.

AN ACT to amend Article forty-three of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to Habeas Corpus. Passed Feb. 1, 1862.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That section three of Article forty-three, under title Habeas Corpus, in the Code of Public General Laws, be and the same is hereby repealed, and that the following be enacted and inserted in said Code in lieu thereof: Repealed.

3. If any person be committed or detained for any crime, or under any color or pretence whatsoever, he or any one on his behalf may complain by petition to any one of the courts or judges mentioned Writ of habeas corpus—when and by whom issued, and when returnable.