

**CHAP. 118.** and Tyson alley, to his wife, the said Elizabeth McCabe, be and the same is hereby confirmed and made valid, for the purpose of passing the real property in the said will mentioned, according to the true intent and meaning thereof.

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CHAPTER 117.

Passed Feb. 2, 1837. *An act for the benefit of the Infant Children of Lilius M. Jones, late of Charles County, deceased.*

Land Patent to issue *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Register of the land office for the Western Shore, be, and he is hereby authorised and directed to issue to Mary Ellen Jones, and Edward Jones, infant children of Lilius M. Jones, late of Charles county, deceased, a patent for two hundred acres of land, according to the certificate of survey, returned to said land office, pursuant to resolution number forty-three, of December Session, eighteen hundred and twenty-seven.

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CHAPTER 118.

Passed Feb. 23, 1837. *An act to alter and change the name of John Thompson, of St. Mary's County, to John Melmoth Thompson.*

Name changed *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the name of John Thompson, of St. Mary's county, be and it is hereby altered and changed to John Melmoth Thompson; *Provided,* that nothing in this act contained, shall be construed to release or absolve the said John Thompson from any contracts, engagements or liabilities which he hath entered into, or in any manner so vary his present subsisting responsibilities, or impair any rights which he hath now or may hereafter acquire by the name of John Thompson.