

CHAPTER 239.

CHAP. 240.

An act to divorce Francis Grupy, of Baltimore County, from his wife Sarah B. Grupy. Passed Mar. 9, 1841.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, Divorced
That Francis Grupy be and he is hereby divorced from his wife Sarah B Grupy, *a vinculo matrimonii.*

CHAPTER 240.

An act to incorporate the St. Joseph's Beneficial Society of Baltimore. Passed Mar. 8, 1841.

WHEREAS, it is represented to this General Assembly Preamble
of Maryland, That Andrew Martin, Jacob Fleishell, William H. Kreager, Edward Medcalf, Bennet Wheeler and others of the city of Baltimore, have formed themselves into a society for the purpose of aiding each other in case of sickness or death, and are desirous of obtaining an act of incorporation, to enable them the more fully to carry into effect their benevolent designs—Therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of* Incorporated
Maryland, That the aforesaid persons, and such other persons as may hereafter be admitted into the said society, agreeably to its present constitution, rules and by-laws of the same, or such regulations as may hereafter be made and adopted by the said society, shall be and they and their successors are hereby declared to be one community, corporation and body politic, by the name and style of the Name and style
Saint Joseph's Beneficial Society of Baltimore, and that Hold property
by that name they shall be and are hereby made able and capable in law, to have, purchase, receive, hold, possess, enjoy and retain to them and their successors, in fee, or less estate or estates, any lands, grounds, tenements, rents or annuities, whether the same be acquired by gift, purchase or devise, or from any person or persons, bodies politic or corporate, capable to make the same, and the same property to alien, sell or transfer in such manner as they may judge most conducive to the benevolent uses of the society; provided nevertheless, that the said corporation or body political, shall not at any one time hold or possess property, Limit of property
real, personal or mixed, exceeding in total value the sum of eight thousand dollars.