

ceed to lay out and open the same, as effectually as if they had possession of the original plat of said town.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the expense of laying out and opening any of the streets and alleys in said town be paid out of the funds of the said town not appropriated; or by the parties petitioning for the opening any street or alley; at the discretion of the burgess and commissioners; but in no case any damages or expense shall be allowed to the proprietor or proprietors of said town, or their agents, caused by the opening of any street or alleys, which they the said proprietor or proprietors, or their agent, may have taken possession of and closed up, or caused to be taken possession of and closed up.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the burgess and commissioners of the town of Jerusalem, shall not be authorized by this act to open, or cause to be opened, any streets, or alleys now closed in said town, unless by the consent of a majority of the lot holders and citizens of said town to be ascertained by petition in writing, and signed at least by a majority as aforesaid..

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Expense at the discretion of commissioners.

Not to open any street but by consent.

CHAPTER 157.

*An act to authorise the location of a Female school in the town of Denton in Caroline county.*

Passed Feb. 24, 1844.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That William A. Tatem, James Turner, Nehemiah Fountain, George T. Martin, and Gaylord L. Moore, be, and they are hereby constituted a board of trustees of the Female School in Denton, Caroline county.

Board of trustees.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said board of trustees, or a majority of them be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to locate and establish in the town of Denton in Caroline county, a school for the education of Females.

To locate Female School.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the said school when located shall be entitled to the same benefits, and subject to the same rules regulations and restrictions, as the other located schools in the middle district of Caroline county.

Subject to same rules.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That in case of the death, resignation, removal, or refusal to serve of any of the aforesaid board of trustees, the other members of said board are hereby empowered to fill such vacancy or vacancies by the appointment of others.

Board to fill vacancies.