

**CHAP. 312.** property of large value; AND WHEREAS it is also represented that the portion so allotted to said minor is without improvements, and is therefore not in a situation to be rented out, as to produce a return at all commensurate to its value; AND WHEREAS it is also represented that by the said distribution, the said minor is required to pay to the other heirs entitled to distributive shares the sum of fifteen hundred and ninety-four dollars and thirty-four cents to make the distribution equal; AND WHEREAS it is also represented to this general assembly that the said minor is entitled to a large sum of money amounting to about ten thousand dollars, which will be much more than sufficient to pay the above balance, and build the necessary improvements to make the real estate productive—Therefore,

Guardian to  
pay out of personal  
estate,  
&c.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the guardian of said Daniel Murray, a minor, be authorized under the direction of the Orphan's Court of Anne Arundel county, to pay out of the personal estate to the parties entitled, the said sum of fifteen hundred and ninety-four dollars and thirty-four cents; and also to erect suitable buildings on said estate not exceeding in the whole the sum of six thousand dollars.

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CHAPTER 312.

*An act to incorporate the Maryland Historical Society.*

Passed March  
8, 1844.  
Preamble.

WHEREAS, sundry citizens of Maryland, have associated for the purpose of collecting, preserving and diffusing information relating to the civil, natural and literary history of this state, and to American history and biography generally; and have applied to this general assembly to incorporate said association.

Incorporated.

SECTION 1. *Be it therefore enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Brantz Mayer, John P. Kennedy, John H. B. Latrobe, Robert Gilmore, John V. L. McMahon, Charles F. Mayer, Frederick William Brune, jun'r., Sebastian F. Streeter, John L. Carey, George W. Dobbin, John Spear Smith, Bernard U. Campbell, William G. Lyford, Stephen Collins, Fielding Lucas, John J. Donaldson, Robert Cary Long, William A. Talbot, Severn Teackle Wallis, Charles J. W. Gwinn, Joshua J. Cohen, John S. Sumner, members of said association, and their present and future associates and their successors, be and they are hereby constituted and created