

CHAP. 336. and being desirous of returning the said negro slave to Charles county, and to take from the county another negro slave. Therefore,

May remove negro.

Proviso

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the said Ancus M. Hoffer, be and he is hereby authorised to remove the said negro slave Austin, to Charles county, any law to the contrary notwithstanding; *provided,* the said Ancus M. Hoffer, shall remove from the said county and State, another negro slave, and shall within thirty days thereafter certify the fact to the clerk of the county, and shall also file with the clerk a list with the name and age of the said negro Austin, and also, the name and age of the negro to be removed, to be recorded as required by the provisions of the act of assembly of December session eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, chapter fifteen.

CHAPTER 336.

Passed March 9, 1844.

An act to incorporate the trustees of the Baltimore Hall Association of the city of Baltimore.

Incorporated.

SECTION 1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Elias Heiner, Augustus Webster, Benjamin Kurtz, George W. Musgrave, H. V. D. Johns, Stephen P. Hill, John A. Collins, Phillip Reigart, William Crowe, B. C. H. Emory, Comfort Tiffany, George W. Richardson, John F. McJilton, Ann C. D. Hinks, their associates, successors and assigns, be and they are hereby created a corporation and body politic, by the name and style of the trustees of the Baltimore Hall Association, and by that name shall have perpetual succession, be able and capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered, in any court of law or equity, to make and use a common seal, and the same to alter and amend or change at pleasure to ordain and establish such by-laws and regulations as shall be necessary or convenient for conducting the affairs of said corporations, provided such by-laws or regulations be not repugnant to the constitution of the United States or of the State of Maryland.

Officers to consist of 14 trustees.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the officers of this association shall consist of fourteen trustees, not more than three of whom shall belong to any one denomination of Christians, and a majority of whom shall always be neces-