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FRANCIS THOMAS, ESQUIRE, GOVERNOR.

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chester county, in the following manner, that is to say, to the Union Academy in Snow Hill, three hundred dollars, to the Buckingham Academy, three hundred dollars, and to the New Town Academy, two hundred dollars.

Trustees or agents to receive.

Proviso.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the trustees of the aforesaid academies or their agent or agents, are hereby authorised to receive the above named sums as they may become due, *provided* said trustees shall comply with the requisitions of the several acts of assembly, prescribing certain duties to be performed by trustees of academies and colleges receiving donations from the State, any law, usage or custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

CHAPTER 92.

Passed Feb 12, 1844.

*An act for the relief Nicholas Goldsborough, of Talbot County.*

Preamble.

WHEREAS in an action of replevin now pending in Talbot county court, in which Tench Tilghman, administrator of Anna Maria Tilghman is plaintiff, and Nicholas Goldsborough is defendant, certain testimoney has already been taken, and there remains other competent and material evidence, also to be perpetuated, since the taking of the evidence aforesaid—tending to establish a gift of the negroes in the said action referred to.

Testimoney taken may be read in evidence.

*Be it therefore enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the testimoney taken and recorded, or which hereafter may be taken and recorded in the aforesaid action of replevin, may be read in evidence by the said Nicholas Goldsborough, or by any person or persons claiming under him, in any action, suit or other proceeding, that may be instituted, in any court of law or equity in this State, effecting his title in or to the negroes named in said replevin, or their decendants. *Provided nevertheless*, if any witness whose testimoney is or may be perpetuated, shall be living and capable of attending the court, in which such action suit or other proceeding may be instituted, at the trial thereof, such witness shall be summoned to testify and shall testify, in the same manner, as is now required by the existing laws of the State of Maryland, any thing in this act to the contrary in anywise notwithstanding.

Proviso.