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G H A P. CXLIV.

A Further supplement to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate Passed 20th of January, 1808. companies to make several turnpike roads through Baltimore county, and for other purposes.

THEREAS it is represented to the general assembly, that in pursuance of the powers vested Preamble. in the commissioners of the Baltimore and York-town turnpike road, by the act to which this is a further supplement, that they have opened subscription books, and there has been subscribed the amount of the capital stock authorised by said act on said road, and they have petitioned that they may be permitted immediately to commence turnpiking the same; and this assembly being of opinion that their prayer is reasonable, therefore,

11. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That so much of the act, entitled, An Part of an act act to incorporate companies to make several turnpike roads through Baltimore county, and for other repealed. purposes, as restrain the president and managers of the Baltimore and York-town turnpike road from commencing their work on said road until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eight, or that is anywise inconsistent with this act, shall be and is hereby repealed.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That it shall and may be lawful for the commissioners mentioned in Commissionsaid act to which this is a further supplement, or a majority of them, and they are hereby required ers, when to and empowered, to hold their first election for president, managers and treasurer, on the sixteenth hold their first election, &c. day of January next, under the regulations and restrictions, and to be conducted in the same manner, prescribed in the act to which this is a further supplement.

IV. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the proceedings of the said commissioners in taking the subscrip- Proceedings tions aforesaid, be and they are hereby confirmed, and declared to be as binding on the subscribers confirmed, &c. as though they had been made on the day or days prescribed by the aforesaid act.

C H A P. CXLV.

An ACT for incorporating a society to educate and maintain poor Passed 20th of January, 1808. orphan and other destitute female children, by the name of The Orphaline Charity School, and to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned.

THEREAS it appears to this general assembly, that at November session, eighteen hundred Preamble and one, a society was incorporated for the education and maintenance of poor female children, under the style of The Trustees of the Female Humane Association Charity School, in the charter whereof certain defects have been discovered, to the remedy of which all the parties concerned have signified their assent; therefore,

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the right reverend John Carroll, Rev. J. Carroll, bishop of the Roman catholic church, the reverend I. Daniel Kurtz, the reverend James Englis, rated, &c. incorpo-Charles Ridgely, of Hampton, Christian Keener, Peter Hoffman, and their successors in office, duly elected in the manner herein after set forth, together with the present and future contributors to the said charity school, be, and they are hereby declared to be, one community, corporation and body politic for ever hereafter, by the name and style of The Trustees of the Orphaline Charity School, and by that name they shall be and they are hereby made able and capable in law, to have, purchase and receive, possess, enjoy and retain, to them and their successors as aforesaid, lands, tenements and hereditaments, rents, annuities and pensions, in fee-simple, or for a term of years, life, lives or otherwise, and also goods, chattels and effects, of what nature, quality or kind soever, by the gift, bargain, sale or devise, of any person or persons, bodies politic or corporate, capable to make the same, and the same to grant, demise, alien or dispose of, in such manner as the said trustees, by a majority of voices, may judge most conducive to the use and benefit of said institution; provided always, that a majority of the trustees shall be necessary to form a quorum for the transaction of business, and also that the said corporation shall not, at any one time, hold or possess property, real, personal or mixed, exceeding in value yearly the sum of three thousand dollars.