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LAWS OF MARYLAND.

CHAP. 197.

CHAPTER 196.

Passed Jan. 17, 1840. *An act to authorise Richard R. Waters, late Sheriff and Collector of Montgomery county, to complete his collections.*

Empowered collect taxes

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Richard R. Waters, late sheriff and collector of Montgomery county, be and he is hereby authorised to collect until the first day of March, eighteen hundred and forty-one, all fines, forfeitures, amercements, officers fees, public dues and county taxes, which were placed in his hands for collection during the time he was in office, and which have not been collected, in the same manner as he might have done within the time limited by law.

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CHAPTER 197.

Passed Feb. 24, 1840. *An act to incorporate Perryville Academy, in Cecil County.*

Trustees named & incorporated

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Henry Chamberlaine, John Stump, Hugh S. Boyd, Haslet Owens, Joseph Couden, Samuel Jackson, of Edward, and George W. Moore, be and they are hereby appointed trustees of a public school recently organized; and they and their successors, or majority of them, are hereby created a body corporate, and shall have perpetual succession, by the name and style of the Trustees of Perryville Academy, and by that name may sue and be sued, and have a corporate seal, which they may break, alter and change at pleasure; may hold property to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars, and dispose of the same; may make bye-laws not contrary to the laws of this State, or of the United States, and do all other acts necessary for the regulation, prosperity and the promotion of education in said academy.

Name and style

Corporate powers

Vacancies: how filled

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That when a vacancy occurs in the board of trustees, the same shall be filled by an election, and at such election every free white citizen that may have contributed to the building of said academy to the amount of five dollars, or contributed to the support of said academy, shall be entitled to vote for trustees at such election.