1844. THOMAS G. PRATT, ESQUIRE, GOVERNOR.

Power to hold in any court of law or equity, and shall have power to roperty.

take, receive and hold property, real, personal and mixed, which they may acquire by purchase, bequest, or devise;

Proviso. Provided, they shall at no time hold property, real, personal or mixed, over and above the value of two thousand dollars.

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Proviso.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That the said trustees shall have power to pass such by-laws, for the regulation of said academy, as they may think expedient; provided, the same be not inconsistent with the laws of this State or the United States.

Continue thirty years. Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That this act of incorporation shall continue for thirty years from its passage, and Right reservent that the Legislature reserves to itself the right to alter, or ed.

Issues forbid. Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That nothing in this act, be construed so as to authorise the said corporation to issue any note, token, device, scrip or other evidence of debt, to be used as a currency.

CHAPTER 178.

Passed March An act for the relief of sundry poor persons in Queen 4, 1855.

Anne's County.

Levy court Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, authorised to That the levy court of Queen Anne's County be, and they are hereby authorised and directed at their next annual meeting, and annually thereafter, at their discretion to levy and assess on the assessable property of said county, for the use of the several persons hereafter mentioned, any sum of money not exceeding the several sums annexed to their respective names, to Reuben Smith, twenty dollars, and to Susan Hoxter, twenty dollars.

CHAPTER 179.

Passed March An act to authorise Benjamin T. Pindle, late Sheriff and Collector of the County and State Taxes, in Anne Arundel County, further time to complete his collections of Officers' Fees and County and State Taxes, remaining uncollected in said County.

Authorised to Section I. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Benjamin T. Pindle, late sheriff and