

CHAPTER 122.

Passed Mar. 8, 1856. AN ACT to incorporate the Trustees of the Parsonage of the Methodist Protestant Church situate at Uniontown in Carroll county.

Preamble. WHEREAS, a certain H. F. Zollicoffer, of Carroll county, and Mary Jane Zollicoffer, his wife, by their deed bearing date the twenty-seventh day of September, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and duly recorded among the land records of said county in Liber I. B. B. No. 14, folios 519, &c., conveyed a certain parcel or lot of land therein described unto John Smith of Jno., William Roberts, Alfred Zollicoffer, John Smith of Joshua, and Samuel McKinstry, and their successors in office, to be held in trust as follows, to wit: for the benefit of the Pipe Creek Circuit, in the Maryland District of the Methodist Protestant Church, to be used as a Parsonage or place of residence for the minister or ministers who may from time to time be appointed to the said circuit, by the Maryland Annual Conference; and in further trust to lease the office situate on said parcel of land to the best advantage, and appropriate the rents to repairing the trust property; and in further trust to sell at the discretion of the quarterly conference of the said Pipe Creek Circuit, the unimproved part of the said parcel or lot of land, and pay the proceeds of sale to the said quarterly conference; and lastly, in trust, if the said parsonage should be rendered unnecessary by reason of the extinction of said circuit, to convey the said parcel or lot of land, or the part thereof remaining unsold, to the said Maryland Annual Conference, or to such agent as they may designate, to be disposed of at their discretion for the benefit of such other circuit or circuits as they may elect; and whereas, if any of the said trustees die, resign, refuse to act, remove, or become separated from the said circuit, it is by the said deed made the duty of the remaining trustees to give notice thereof to the said quarterly conference; and the said quarterly conference is thereupon required to appoint a successor to fill the vacancy, always taking care that three of the trustees shall belong to the congregation worshipping in the meeting-house of the Methodist Protestant Church,