

in Uniontown, in said county; and whereas, the agency of a corporation will better secure the performance of all the trusts of said deed and effectually guard against the relapse of any; therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly* Incorporated.

*of Maryland,* That the said John Smith of Jno., William Roberts, Alfred Zollicoffer, John Smith of Joshua, and Samuel McKinstry, and their successors in office, be and they are hereby incorporated and made a body politic, by the name of "Trustees of the Parsonage of the Methodist Protestant Church, situate at Uniontown, in Carroll county;" and by that name they shall have, take, and hold all the property described in the deed mentioned in the recital to this act, in trust, for the uses and purposes as therein stated; and shall also have and hold such other property, real or personal, not exceeding two thousand dollars in value, which any other member of the Methodist Protestant Church, worshipping at any of the meeting-houses in the circuit aforesaid, shall choose to convey or devise to the said corporation for church purposes; and that by their corporate name aforesaid, they may sue or be sued, have a common seal, and possess all the powers and franchises necessary to enable them to fulfil the purposes and intentions for which they have been incorporated as disclosed by this act.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the trustees named in the deed aforesaid, be and they are hereby authorised to convey all the property mentioned in said deed to the said corporation. Trustees authorised to convey.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That in case of the death, resignation, refusal to act, removal or separation from the circuit aforesaid, of any member of the said corporate body, the quarterly conference of the said circuit shall immediately supply the vacancy by appointing a successor; and every such appointment shall be noted in the journal of proceedings to be kept by said corporation; and such entry shall be sufficient evidence of the election of successors. Vacancies filled.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the day on which it may be passed. In force