of their said willingness so to do, to be adopted by the board of trustees of said church, therefore,

Trustees empowered to unite in the execution of a

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the passage of this act, George F. Adams, John W. M. Williams, John W. Ball, Allen A. Chapman, Andrew F. Crane, William Crane, Noah Davis, James Jefferson and Sanuel T. Madden, or a majority of them, trustees of the Saratoga Street African Baptist Church, of Baltimore city, be and they are hereby authorised and empowered to unite with William Crane of the said city, in the execution of such act or acts, deed or deeds in the law, as may be requisite to vest in the said Crane, his executors, administrators, or assigns, a lease of the entire property and premises now used and occupied jointly by the said Crane, and the said Saratoga Street African Baptist Church, for the term of ninety nine years, renewable forever, at and under a clear yearly rent of three hundred and sixty dollars, in the usual form of leases for ninety nine years, renewable forever, for property in the city of Baltimore, subject however during the said lease and the renewals thereof forever, to the use and occupation of the said Saratoga Street African Baptist Church, as a church or place of meeting for colored people, and for schools for children of the same race, of all that portion of the said property above the first floor and story thereof.

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Incorporated.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the passage of this act, Nathan Rogers, W. W. Spence, A. B. Patterson, Allen A. Chapman, and Wm. T. Murdock, and such other persons as may associate with them in the manner hereinafter provided, shall T. WATI

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