

facilitate and carry out the measures made necessary by the division above referred to; Therefore,

Incorporated.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Thomas Kelso, William Baker, Aaron Hoffman, Charles Towson, Stirling Thomas, John W. Randolph, George Merryman, Robert Turner and John Evans, of Baltimore city aforesaid, and all the other members of the said Methodist Preachers Aid Society, of the East Baltimore Conference, or that may hereafter become members thereof, or of the corporation hereby created, agreeably to such constitution, rules and by-laws, as the said society may have adopted, or may hereafter adopt, be and they are hereby created a body politic and corporate, by the name and style of The Methodist Preachers Aid Society of the East Baltimore Conference, and by that name may, for the purpose of affording relief to the itinerant ministers of the said conference, their wives, widows and children, and for the education of the latter, have perpetual succession, and be able and capable to sue and be sued, at law and in equity, to have a common seal, and the same at pleasure to alter, break or renew, and to do all acts necessary and lawful for carrying into effect the object of this incorporation, and are hereby made able and capable in law to have, hold, purchase, receive, possess, enjoy and retain, to them and their successors, lands, tenements and hereditaments, rents, annuities or pensions, in fee simple, or for a term of years, life, lives or otherwise, and also goods and chattels and effects, of what nature or description whatever, and the same again to grant, demise, alien or dispose of; *Provided*, the clear yearly value of the real and personal estate of said corporation, shall not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars.

Proviso.

Disposal of property.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall and may be lawful for the corporation hereby created, to receive from the Methodist Preachers Aid Society of Baltimore, the part of the funds and property, real or personal, of said last mentioned corporation, which in the division thereof hereinbefore alluded to, is to be thereby placed under the direction of the East Baltimore Conference,