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to examine the progress of the students and scholars, and to hear and determine on all complaints and appeals, and all matters touching the discipline of the seminary, and the good and wholesome execution of their ordinances, on all which occasions a majority at least of the trustees shall compose a quorum.

Property vested in trustees

5. *And be it enacted*, That all and singular the property, real, personal or mixed, belonging to the Church Hill Academy, or held in trust for the use of the same, shall be, and the same is hereby vested in the said trustees for the purposes aforesaid.

CHAPTER 132.

Passed Feb 6

An act relating to the Town of Belle-Air in Harford County.

Lots &c. to be laid out and opened.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Joseph Robinson, Henry Dorsey, Thomas A. Hays, Israel D. Maulsby, and William Richardson, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, and they, or a majority of them, are hereby authorised and required, to cause to be laid out, surveyed, marked and bounded, the lots, streets, lanes and alleys, of the town of Belle-Air, in Harford county, as nearly as practicable to its original location, and shall cause to be opened all streets, lanes or alleys, now enclosed by any individual or individuals, which shall be ascertained to have been originally laid out for public use, and shall for that purpose give notice in writing to the person or persons so having it enclosed, to open and clear, or cause to be opened and cleared, the said street, lane or alley, by a certain day to be fixed upon by the said commissioners, which day shall be specified in said notice, and signed by the commissioners or a majority of them.

Time to be given.

2. *And be it enacted*, That in fixing the time for opening, or causing to be opened, the said streets, lanes or alleys, the said commissioners shall give such reasonable time as to them shall seem proper, having due regard to the crop which may be growing thereon, as well as other circumstances connected therewith.

Penalty for refusing to open streets.

3. *And be it enacted*, That any person or persons holding enclosed any of the said streets, lanes or alleys, or any part thereof, (or his, her, or their guardian or guardians, if a minor or minors,) and who shall have been notified as aforesaid, shall refuse or neglect to open and clear the same by the time specified in the said notice, such person or persons shall forfeit and pay, for every such refusal or neglect, the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered before a justice of the peace, in the name of the said commissioners, in the same manner that debts of a similar amount are now recoverable by law, and shall moreover forfeit and pay the further sum of five dollars for every thirty days they shall continue such refusal or neglect, to be recovered as aforesaid; *Provided nevertheless*, that if the person or persons so refusing or neglecting, shall make such excuse therefor as to the said commissioners may appear reasonable, then the said commissioners, or a majority of them, may in their discretion allow such further time for opening and clearing the said street, lane or alley, as they in their judgment may deem sufficient, which extension of time shall be given in writing, and signed by the said commissioners, or a majority of them.

Proviso.

Town may be enlarged.

4. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorised and empowered, to make