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 gomery county, commissioners heretofore appointed to divide the real estate of Lawrence Oneale, in Montgomery county, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorised, empowered and directed, to make and execute to the heirs of Lawrence Oneale, good and sufficient deeds of conveyance for their separate parts or shares of said land, and to the heirs of John Oneale, late of Montgomery county, a good and sufficient deed of conveyance for their part of the said land, excluding such parts of John Oneale's share as the said John Oneale may have sold in his lifetime, and which have been conveyed by the heirs of the said Lawrence Oneale, to the purchasers thereof, and the part of the heirs of John Oneale so conveyed, shall be subject to the dower of the widow of the said John Oneale.

2. *And be it enacted*, That the said deeds when executed and recorded shall have the same force and effect in law as if the land aforesaid had been conveyed by the heirs of the said Lawrence Oneale ---to have effect in law.

CHAPTER 222.

An act to repeal the third section of an act, entitled, An act to Suppress Duelling. Passed Feb 14

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That from and after the passage of this act, that the third section of an act, entitled, An act to suppress duelling, be and the same is hereby repealed. Section repealed.

CHAPTER 223.

An act to incorporate the Trustees of Garrison Forest Academy in Baltimore County. Passed Feb 14

WHEREAS, the trustees of Garrison Forest Academy in Baltimore county, have represented to this general assembly, that Major Robert Lyon hath conveyed to trustees, for the use of an academy, a piece of land in Garrison Forest in the said county, being part of a tract of land called Rich Level, and that the trustees, and others, have erected thereon a suitable house, and have employed a capable and diligent teacher, and they having petitioned to be erected into a corporation for the purpose of receiving funds for and managing the concerns of the said academy, Preamble.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That John E. Howard, Samuel Owings, of Samuel, Robert Lyon, Robert North Carnan, Christopher Carnan, Nicholas Carroll, Thomas H. Ghist, Charles Lyon and Robert Lyon, junior, be and they are hereby erected into a corporation, by the name of The Trustees of Garrison Forest Academy, for the purposes of receiving, holding, and directing funds for the benefit of said institution, and managing the interest and concerns thereof, which said persons, and their successors to be appointed in the manner hereinafter prescribed, shall and are hereby declared to be one community, corporation and body politic, to have continuation for ever, by that name to sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, and to make and have a common seal, and the same to break, alter or renew, when and so often as they shall think fit, and to do all such other acts as similar corporate bodies may lawfully do. Trustees incorporated.