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CHAPTER 101.

Passed Dec 27,
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An act to make valid a certain devise to the Methodist church, in the city of Annapolis.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, It is represented to this General Assembly by the petition of the Reverend Joseph Wyatt and others, elders of the Methodist church of the city of Annapolis, that a certain Milbourne Segill of said city, devised to them by his last will and testament, and a codicil thereto, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars for the use of said Methodist church; *And whereas, Doubts have arisen as to the validity of that part of said will:—For remedy whereof,*

Devise made
valid.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a devise made by Milbourne Segill, late of the city of Annapolis, deceased, to the Rev. Joseph Wyatt and others, for the use of the Methodist church of said city, be, and the same is hereby made valid; any law, usage or custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

CHAPTER 102.

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An act entitled, A supplement to the act of seventeen hundred and eighty-five, and the supplementary acts thereto, which provide for the poor of Dorchester county.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, Experience has proved the advantages which will result from changing the regulations of the alms and work-house of Dorchester county, now established by the act of seventeen hundred and eighty-five, and the supplementary acts thereto:—*Therefore,*

Justices or judges of the levy court may appoint trustees.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That after the passage of this act, the justices or judges of the levy court of Dorchester county, or a majority of them, shall have the full power of electing seven trustees, who shall be competent in virtue of this act to conduct the business of the alms and work-house as aforesaid.

Vacancies shall be supplied by justices or judges of the levy court.

AND BE IT ENACTED, That if any vacancy of any trustee or trustees shall happen from any cause whatever, such vacancy or vacancies (as the case may be,) shall be filled up by the justices or judges of the levy court of the county aforesaid, or a majority of them.