pointment of president, treasurer, &c.

meet at least twice in every year in stated semi-annual meetings, to be appointed by their own ordinances, and at such other times as by their said ordinances or by their own adjournments they may direct; and when so assembled, they shall have power from time to time to appoint a president, treasurer and secretary; to make contracts with the professors or teachers relative to the instruction of the scholars to be placed under their care, and for the payment of their salaries; to examine the progress of the students and scholars in their learning; to hear and determine on all complaints and appeals, and upon all matters touching the discipline and government of the said academy, and the execution of their ordinances; and generally to manage the estate and concerns of the said seminary in such manner as they shall deem best for the advancement and advantage of the institution.

## CHAPTER 216.

Passed Jan. 7, 1812.

An additional supplement to the act entitled, "An act authorising the drawing of a lottery to defray the expense of building a Masonic Hall in the city of Baltimore.

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BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Doctor John Crawford, Edward Johnson, Doctor Tobias Watkins, Peter Little, Peter Galt, George Kyser, Archibald Dobbin, Samuel Moale and John Wales, or any four of them, be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to carry the said lottery into effect; to fill up the vacancies, and to do and perform every other thing which could or might have been done by the persons named in the original act to which this is an additional supplement.

## CHAPTER 217.

Passed Jan. 7, An act for the payment of the Journal of ac-

Preamble.

WHEREAS, it appears by the journal of accounts of this session, that there is due from this state the sum of thirty-two thousand six hundred and twenty dollars and twelve cents and one third of a cent,

Treasurer authorised to pay accounts.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the Western Shore be, and he is hereby authorised and required to pay