

BE IT ENACTED *by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That all the estate, right and title, acquired by the several deeds of trust executed for the benefit of the aforesaid society of people called Quakers, of, in and unto the lots of ground and property before mentioned, be, and the same is hereby vested in John Trimble, John Dukehart, William Husband, Ely Balderston, Thomas Matthews, David Brown, and William Proctor, their heirs and assigns, in trust, for the same uses and purposes as are mentioned in the act of Assembly above referred to, and to and for no other use or purpose whatsoever, saving to all and every person and persons their several and respective rights : *Provided always*, AND BE IT ENACTED, That it shall be the duty of the trustees above named, or the survivors of them, whenever called upon or required by the said monthly meeting so to do, to transfer the trust hereby reposed in them to such other trustees as the said monthly meeting may name and appoint, which said new trustees, when chosen, shall hold the said property subject to the like provisions as are herein before contained ; so that the said trust may and shall be perpetuated and transmitted in manner aforesaid, from time to time forever.

1812.

Property vested.

Proviso.

CHAPTER 159.

*An act for founding an University in the city or precincts of Baltimore, by the name of the University of Maryland.*

Passed Dec. 29, 1812.

WHEREAS, Public institutions for the promotion and diffusion of scientific and literary knowledge, under salutary regulations, cannot fail to produce the most beneficial results to the State at large, by instilling into the minds and hearts of the citizens the principals of science and good morals : *And whereas*, It appears to the General Assembly of Maryland, that this desirable end would be much advanced by the establishment of an University in the city or precincts of Baltimore : *Therefore*,

Preamble.

SEC. 1. BE IT ENACTED *by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the college for the promotion of medical knowledge, by the name of The College of Medicine of Maryland, be and the same is hereby authorised to constitute, appoint and annex to itself the other three colleges or faculties, viz : The Faculty of Divinity, The Faculty of Law, and The Faculty of the Arts and Sciences ; and that the four

University incorporated.