

CHAP. 298. office, upon which copy and certificate, an action may be maintained in the name of the State for the use of the party interested, and judgment may be recovered in such action, for the damage actually sustained.

In force. SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall be in force from the passage thereof.

CHAPTER 298.

Passed May 27, 1852. *AN ACT to authorise certain Trustees, or their Successors, or the Survivors of them, to sell and convey the Parsonage House and Lot of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in the Church Hill Circuit, and to Purchase another Parsonage House and Lot with the Proceeds of said Sale.*

Authority to sell and convey. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That John D. Perkins, Joshua W. Massey, Benjamin S. Elliott, Samuel M. Keen, James Roe, Newton Keen, Senah Busick, Vincent Benton, and John Hackett, trustees of the parsonage house and lot of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in Church Hill Circuit, situate at Suddlersville, or their successors, duly appointed, or the survivors or survivor of them, in case the said succession has not been regularly continued, be, and they are, or he is hereby authorised and empowered to sell and convey the aforesaid parsonage house and lot, and with the proceeds of said sale, in whole or in part, to purchase another parsonage house and lot, or a site for, and erect, or cause to be erected thereon, another parsonage house within the limits of said circuit, for the accommodation of the preacher in charge of said circuit, and to take the title to the house and lot so purchased or acquired, in the names of such persons, as shall be at the time of such purchase or acquisition the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church on said circuit, and their successors forever.

In force. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.