

choly reflection, that nothing now remains but a few moulder-  
 ing bricks, to point out to the antiquarian the spot where civilization and christianity were first introduced into our State; and whereas, the people of Maryland, and more especially the citizens of St. Mary's county, actuated by that delicate sensibility which prompts man to adorn and scatter flowers around the tombs of departed relatives and friends, desire to establish on that sacred spot a female seminary, that those who are destined to become the mothers of future generations may receive their education and early impressions at a place so well calculated to inspire affection and attachment for our native State; and whereas, the object contemplated, cannot be accomplished by private contribution and munificence, and should for other good and sufficient reasons receive the countenance and support of this legislature:—  
 Therefore,

CHAP. 190.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Cornelius Combs, Caleb W. Jones and John W. Bennett, of St Mary's county, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, with full power and authority by a scheme of lottery, and the sales thereof or of the tickets therein, to raise the sum of thirty thousand dollars, over and above all expenses and charges whatsoever; *provided however,* that the said lottery shall be drawn under the direction of the lottery commissioners, in pursuance of the act of eighteen hundred and thirty-five, chapter two hundred and five.

Commissioners  
namedTo raise by lot-  
tery \$30,000

Proviso

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the scheme aforesaid, shall be approved by the commissioners of lotteries, or any one of them, before the same or any tickets shall be deemed to be authorised to be sold; and that before the said commissioners may sell as aforesaid, they shall enter into bond, with sureties to be approved, and in a penalty to be fixed by said commissioners of lotteries, or any one of them, conditioned for the faithful performance of their duty as commissioners; and for the due application for the purposes of this act, of all monies coming into their hands; which bond shall be made to the State of Maryland, and be filed in the clerks office of St. Mary's county court, and may on a certified copy thereof as evidence, be sued as other public bonds may, by any person or persons or body politic interested in the condition thereof.

Scheme to be  
approved before  
sale of ticketsCommissioners  
to bond

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the said commissioners appointed by this act, may sell for such sums of mo-

Scheme, &c.  
to be sold