

thereof, under his seal, shall be due evidence thereof at law and in equity.

**Reservation.** Sec. 8. *And be it enacted,* That the General Assembly doth hereby reserve to itself the right to repeal, alter, change or amend this Act at its pleasure.

**In force.** Sec. 9. *And be it enacted,* That this Act shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

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### CHAPTER 244.

**Passed Mar. 12, 1867.** AN ACT to incorporate the Wright Mining Company of Allegany County.

**Incorporation.** SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Kennedy H. Butler, C. M. Graham, Josiah Euglar and such other persons as may become associated with them in the manner hereinafter provided, shall be and they are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Wright Mining Company of Allegany county, and by that name shall have succession, and be able and capable to sue and be sued, to plead and be impleaded in any Court whatever, and may have and use a common seal, and may alter and renew the same at pleasure, and the said body corporate shall have all the powers, faculties, franchises and rights necessary or proper for the mining of coal, iron ore, making coke and for the beneficial management of its property, and for the transportation and vending of its coal and other proceeds, issues and products of its mines and property to market, and shall have power and authority to purchase, lease and hold any property real, personal and mixed which may be deemed by said Company necessary for its purposes; *provided,* however, that said Company shall not at any time actually hold as owners thereof more than five thousand acres of land.

**Proviso.**