

for that purpose as prescribed in the foregoing sections, with the oath or affirmation, and certificate aforesaid, such of the said judges as shall consent thereto, shall severally be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on due conviction thereof, shall be subject to a fine not exceeding two thousand dollars, or to imprisonment not exceeding one year, at the discretion of the court before which such conviction shall be had; and if any person shall wilfully swear, or affirm falsely, in taking any oath or affirmation prescribed by this act, such person so offending, shall, upon due conviction thereof, be subject to the pains and penalties which are by law prescribed for the punishment of wilful and corrupt perjury.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That no director of any of the banks aforesaid shall be entitled to any accommodation or discount as such, or on any other terms than other persons.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That no person shall be elected a director of any of the said banks, who shall be in co-partnership or associated in any trade, business or profession, with any person who is at the time a director of the same bank, and if any person shall be elected a director of any bank, contrary to the provisions of this act, such election shall be and hereby is declared to be void.

Directors not entitled to discount on any other terms than other persons.

No person to be elected director of any bank who is associated in business with any person who is a director of the same bank.

CHAPTER 135.

A SUPPLEMENT to the ACT, for the establishment and regulation of the Levy Courts in the several Counties of this State.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That from and after the passage hereof, it shall not be lawful for any collector appointed by virtue of the act, entitled, an act for the establishment and regulation of levy courts in the several counties of this state, or any deputy collector within this state, during the time they respectively act as such, or any person or persons for the use of such collector, or deputy collector, to purchase any claim, due or demand, which any person or persons whatever may have against the county of which he may be collector or deputy collector.

Not lawful for collectors, &c. to purchase claims against county.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That if any collector, or deputy collector, shall violate any part of this law, upon conviction thereof in the county court of the county wherein the offence shall be committed, such collector or deputy collector, for every such offence, shall be fined the sum of fifty dollars.

Penalty for so doing.