

## CHAPTER 257.

AN ACT to repeal the Act of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, Chapter two hundred and ninety-four, entitled "An Act to add a new Article to the Code of Public General Laws, to be entitled 'Domestic Insurance Company,' " providing for annual reports of the condition of the said several Insurance Companies incorporated under the laws of this State, and doing business within the limits thereof, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Repealed and re-enacted.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Act of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, Chapter two hundred and ninety-four, entitled "An Act to add a new Article to the Code of Public General Laws, entitled 'Domestic Insurance Company,' " be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, so as to read as follows:

Insurance companies to report annually.

Section 1. It shall hereafter be the duty of the President or Vice President and Secretary, or other proper officer of each company or association organized under the laws of this State, to transact the business of insurance, annually, on the first day of February, or within one month thereafter, to prepare, under their own oath, and deposit in the office of the Comptroller of the Treasury, a statement of the condition of such company or association on the thirty-first day of December then next preceding, exhibiting the following facts and items, in the following form, namely:

What to report as capital stock.

*First*—The capital stock of the company; *second*—The property and assets held by the company or association, specifying, first, the value, or as nearly as may be, of the real estate held by such company or association; second, the amount of cash on hand and deposited in banks to the credit of the company or association, specifying in what banks the same are deposited; third, the amount of cash in the hands of agents and in course of transmission; fourth, the amount of loans secured by bonds and mortgages, constituting the first liens on real estate, on which there shall be less