

association, or company of which he is an officer, shall forfeit and pay to the State of Maryland the sum of five hundred dollars.

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

Approved March 28, 1872.

CHAPTER 91.

AN ACT to repeal section three of article eleven of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in fact," and re-enact the same with an amendment.

Repealed. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That section three of article eleven, of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in fact," be and the same is hereby repealed, and re-enacted with an amendment so as to read as follows:

Attorneys at law. SEC. 3. Upon every such application *for* any white male citizen of Maryland, above the age of twenty-one years, and who shall have been a student of law in any part of the United States, for at least two years previous to said application, it shall be the duty of the Court to whom such application shall be made

Examination. to examine said applicant upon some day during the the regular session thereof, touching his qualification for admission as an Attorney; and they shall also require and receive evidence of his probity and general character; and if upon such actual examination and being satisfied that he has been a student of law at least two years as aforesaid, and having heard evidence of his probity and general character, the said Court shall be of the opinion that said applicant is qualified to discharge the duties of an Attorney, and worthy to be admitted, they shall admit him, and the said Court are authorized to admit to prac-

Admission.