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

Approved, March 27th, 1874.

CHAPTER 109.

AN ACT to authorize the Clerk of the County Commissioners for Somerset county to administer oaths in certain cases.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall and may be lawful for the To administer Clerk of the County Commissioners for Somerset oaths. county, to administer the oaths, and take the probates of all public accounts presented to said Commissioners for allowance, in the same manner, and to the same effect and extent as probates are now made before justices of the peace for said county.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take In force effect from and after the first day of April next.

Approved, March 26th, 1874.

CHAPTER 110.

AN ACT to extend an act entitled "an act to incorporate the New York Mining Company, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and fortyfour, chapter two hundred and twenty, and the supplement thereto, passed at December session eighteen hundred and forty-six, chapter one hundred and twenty-three; and the act to alter and amend the said original act of incorporation and supplement thereto, passed at January session, eighteen hundred and fifty-three, chapter seventy," for the period of thirty years.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the act entitled "an act to incorpo-