

tion thereof be fined in any sum not less than two dollars, and not more than ten dollars for each offence, with costs of prosecution; and all prosecutions under this act, shall be in the name of the State, before a justice of the peace of the election district in which such violation may occur; and all fines when collected under this act, one-half thereof shall be paid to the informer and the other to the Treasurer of said counties, to be applied by him to the support of the public schools, of said counties. Penalty.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the possession by any person within said counties of any of the birds protected by this act, as shot, killed or otherwise destroyed shall be *prima facie* evidence to make such person liable for the fine for the violation of the provisions of this act; and it shall be the duty of the constable of said counties to arrest all persons they may detect in, or who may be charged with the violation of any of the provisions of this act, and take them before the nearest justice of the peace to be dealt with as directed by this act. Evidence.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect and be in operation from the date of its passage. In force.

Approved April 11th, 1874.

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CHAPTER 475.

AN ACT to incorporate the Drovers' and Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore city.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Mason L. Weems, Thomas W. Johnson, William D. Miller, Edwin Higgins, Lewis Meyers, John Turnbull, Jr., Henry Williams, William P. Hamilton, Henry W. Webb, Dr. Charles H. Jones, James Baylies, Luke H. Miller and J. J. H. Sellman, be and they are hereby constituted a body corporate, by the name and style of the Drovers' and Incorporated.