

after the expiration of the original credit, and the surplus profit, if any, after deducting losses and dividends.

Annual report to the Treasurer W Shore

ARTICLE 3. The Treasurer of the Western Shore, for the time being, shall be furnished once every year, or oftener if required, with statements of the amount of the capital stock of the said corporation, and of the debts due to and from the same, of the monies deposited therein, of the notes in circulation, of the cash and property on hand, and of the profits made; and shall have a right to inspect such general accounts, in the books of the bank, as shall relate to said statement, but nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a right of inspecting the account of any private individual or individuals, with the bank. nor shall such general statement and power of inspection be used for any other purpose than to enable him to form, and when required, to communicate to the Legislature a just opinion of the state of the institution, with the grounds of said opinion.

Right of inspection

ARTICLE 4. The issues or notes, usually denominated bank notes, which it shall be lawful for the said corporation to issue, shall not at any time exceed the amount of its capital stock, actually paid in by the subscribers, nor shall any of said issues or notes be for a less sum than five dollars.

Issue of notes restricted

ARTICLE 5. The President, each Director, Cashier or Treasurer, before he enters upon the duties of his office, shall take the following oath or affirmation, as the case may be, I do swear or affirm that I will faithfully, impartially, diligently and honestly execute the duties of _____ agreeably to the provisions of law, and the trust reposed in me, to the best of my skill and judgment.

Oath of office

ARTICLE 6. The total amount of the debts which the said corporation shall at any time owe, exclusive of its issues or notes, usually denominated bank notes, whether by bond, bill, note or other contract, shall not exceed the amount of the capital actually paid into the said bank; unless the contracting of a greater debt shall have been previously authorised by a law of this State; *Provided*, that the money deposited in the

Amount of liabilities restricted