

by the legislature, to a denomination not less than that of the notes or issues of any other incorporated bank within this State, the lowest denomination of whose notes shall be above five dollars.

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CHAPTER 290.

An act for the relief of Mary Gray, a free woman of color. Passed Mar 30, 1836

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, Clerk to give her papers
That the clerk of Cecil county court, be, and he is hereby authorised and required to give to the said Mary, freedom papers, as if a deed of manumission had been regularly recorded in his office.

CHAPTER 291.

An act for increasing the width of Ruxton Lane, in the City of Baltimore, and to change the name of the said Lane. Passed Mar. 30, 1836

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* Authority to increase width
That the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, shall be, and they are hereby authorised to provide for increasing the width of Ruxton Lane, in said city, by adding thereto twenty additional feet, to be taken from the present southern side of the said lane; *Provided always,* that before any property of any person or corporation shall be taken, destroyed, impaired, removed or used for the said purpose, the assent of the owner shall either be first obtained, or provision made for paying or securing to such owner, a just compensation for the destruction, injury, removal or use of his, her or their property.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* As to damages
That the Mayor and City Council aforesaid, shall provide for ascertaining the amount of damages which shall be sustained by any person or persons or corporation, by widening the said lane as aforesaid, and for assessing such amount with the necessary expenses incident to the ascertainment of