

## CHAP. 595.

judgment the interest of the State will thereby be promoted.

Evidences of own-  
ership

SEC. 12. *And be it enacted*, That the proper accounting department of the State of Maryland is hereby authorised and directed to ~~receive such evidence of ownership, and be governed~~ by such rules respecting the transfer of stock and obligations of the State, as are received and adopted under the authority of the United States for transferring the funded debt of the United States.

Rules for transfers

Investment direct,  
and as sinking fund

SEC. 13. *And be it enacted*, That so much of the premium which shall accrue to the State on the sale of the certificates of stock or bonds of the State, hereby authorised as will not be required for the payment of the interest upon the loan for the space of three years after the same shall have been negotiated, shall be as well as the increment thereof, from time to time invested in some safe and profitable stock or public security and shall constitute a sinking fund which is hereby inviolably pledged, for the redemption of the debt to be incurred under and by virtue of this act, and the amount so to be invested as a sinking fund from time to time as the several instalments on said loan shall be paid into the Treasury, shall not be less in the whole and for the whole loan than five hundred thousand dollars, to be made up of the balance of premium not required for the payment of three years interest as aforesaid, the dividends that may arise on the States stock in all or either of said companies during the said three years, and the bonus to be paid by the several banks incorporated within this State since the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty six, or so much thereof as may be necessary for this purpose.

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Dividends of stock

bonus from banks

alt. and Ohio rail  
road co. to provide  
sufficient carriages  
for transport.  
log, &c

SEC. 14. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company, to provide carriages suitable, and in adequate numbers for the transportation of, and shall promptly transport, all the merchandise and commodities and lading of every kind that may be offered for transportation at such of the depots and stations on the route of the said rail road as have been assigned or used, or shall here-