1870, c. 422, for the purpose of meeting the expense of erecting and furnishing suitable buildings for the asylum for the deaf and dumb, creates a fund to be called the "Deaf and Dumb Asylum Loan," and directs the treasurer to issue bonds to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, exempt from state, county and municipal taxation, redeemable in not less than ten nor more than fifteen years; and provides for the levying of a special tax to meet the interest on and create a sinking fund for the redemption of said bonds.

1870, c. 280 appropriates the sum of ten thousand dollars to enable the directors of the Maryland institution for the instruction of the blind, to pay off an indebtedness existing against that institution.

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Domestic Yusurance Companies.

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1870, c. 257 repeals 1868, c. 294 [Supplement 1868, Art. --, Domestic Insurance Companies] and re-enacts the same with amendments as follows:

SEC. 1. It shall hereafter be the duty of the presi- 1870, o 257. dent or vice president and secretary, or other proper officer of each company or association organized under the laws of this state, to transact the business of insurance, annually, on the first day of February, or within Insurance comone month thereafter, to prepare, under their own oath, annually to and deposit in the office of the comptroller of the treas-comptroller. ury, a statement of the condition of such company or association on the thirty-first day of December then next preceding, exhibiting the following facts and items, in the following form, namely:

First—The capital stock of the company.

Second—The property and assets held by the com- what to report pany or association, specifying, first, the value, or as as assets. nearly as may be, of the real estate held by such company or association; second, the amount of cash on hand and deposited in banks to the credit of the company or association, specifying in what banks the same

Capital stock.

