be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Annual meeting. 4. That hereafter the annual meeting of stock-holders for the election of officers for said company shall be held on the first Wednesday of June, in each and every year, instead of on the first Monday in December, as prescribed by the original charter, and the officers of said company, for the time being, shall be continued in office until their successors shall have been chosen and have qualified.

Effective.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 25, 1880.

## CHAPTER 68.

AN ACT to amend the charter of the Bank of Commerce.

Par value of shares reduced. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the shares in the capital stock of the Bank of Commerce be and they are hereby reduced in their par value from twenty dollars per share to fifteen dollars per share, and that the said shares be so estimated in any and all transactions therein and estimates thereof.

Reduction only effective

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the reduction of the shares in the capital stock of the Bank of Commerce, as provided in section first of this act, shall not operate in any way whatsoever to repeal any act of the Legislature of Maryland heretofore passed in relation to the Bank of Commerce, or to effect in any way the rights, privileges or restrictions of the said bank under any act or acts relating to the same, which are each and all declared to be in full force and effect, except simply as to the reduction of the par