

with all the personal property, which is or may be hereafter within the bounds thereof belonging to the United States, or to any of its officers or agents, shall be exonerated, and discharged from all taxes and assessments which may be at any time imposed by the authority of this State, so long as the said lands and territories shall remain the property of the United States and be used for the purposes aforesaid.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall be of full force and effect from the first day of July, eighteen hundred and fifty-three.

## CHAPTER 186.

Passed May 17, 1853. AN ACT to incorporate the Mechanics Savings Bank of Baltimore.

Incorporated. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Joshua Vansant, Miles White, William G. Harrison, Ross Winans, James Murray, William S. Woodside, George Rogers, John W. Ross, George C. Addison, Christian Keener, Clark Codrell, David Carson, John Lockett, Thomas L. Reese, Richard B. Dorsey, William H. Keighler, Noah Walker, John J. Donaldson, Edward H. Stabler, William Hopkins, John Pickel, John Morrow, John D. Toy, John Hurst, Grafton D. Dorsey, Samuel E. Turner and Joseph R. Snyder, and all and every other person or persons hereafter becoming members of the Mechanics Savings Bank of Baltimore, in the manner hereinafter mentioned shall be and are hereby created and made a corporation and body politic by the name, and style of the Mechanics Savings Bank of Baltimore, and by that name shall have perpetual succession and be capable by-law to hold property, sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and defend, and be answered and defended in courts of law and equity, or in any other place whatever, and to receive and make all deeds, transfers, contracts, covenants, conveyances and grants whatsoever, and to make, have and use a common seal and generally to do every other act or thing necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act and promote the design of said corporation.