

Chapter 488.

AN ACT to repeal section one, section twelve and section sixteen of Chapter four hundred and eight of the acts of eighteen hundred and eighty, entitled "An act to repeal chapter one hundred and seventeen of the acts of eighteen hundred and seventy-four, entitled 'An act to incorporate the town of Huntingdon, Prince George's county,'" and to re-enact the same with amendments, and to amend and re-enact said sections one, twelve and sixteen with amendments.

Repealed and re-enacted.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That section one, section twelve and section sixteen of chapter four hundred and eight of the acts of eighteen hundred and eighty, entitled "An act to repeal chapter one hundred and seventeen of the acts of eighteen hundred and seventy-four, entitled 'An act to incorporate the town of Huntingdon, Prince George's county, and to re-enact the same with amendments,'" be and the same are hereby repealed, amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

How constituted.

SECTION 1. That the citizens of the town heretofore known as Huntingdon, in Prince George's county, are hereby constituted a body corporate by the name of the Commissioners of Bowie, and by that name may have perpetual succession, sue and be sued, and have and use a common seal, and shall have all the rights and privileges and be subject to all the duties and obligations conferred or imposed on the Commissioners of Huntingdon by the laws of Maryland.

Assessment—how made.

SECTION 12. *And be it enacted,* That the said commissioners may, in each and every year, cause an assessment to be made of all real and personal property within the limits of said corporation, in such manner, not contrary to law, as they may deem advisable, which assessment shall not in any case exceed the rate of assessment for State or county taxation; and the said commissioners may levy a tax, not exceeding thirty cents on the one hundred dollars worth of assessable property, which said