

compose the first district; Prince-George's county and Montgomery county, shall compose the second district; Frederick county, Washington county, and Allegany county, shall compose the third district; Baltimore city, Annapolis city, and Anne-Arundel county, shall compose the fourth district; Baltimore county the fifth district; Harford county and Cecil county, shall compose the sixth district; Kent county and Queen-Anne's county shall compose the seventh district; Talbot county, Caroline county, and the first election district of Dorchester county, shall compose the eighth district; and the remainder of Dorchester county, Somerset county, and Worcester county, shall compose the ninth district; and each of the said districts shall elect one person, being a resident of the said district, except the third and fourth districts, which shall each be entitled to two electors, residents of the respective districts, as an elector or electors, as the case may be, for choosing a president and vice-president of the United States.

2. *And be it enacted*, That all acts of assembly repugnant ^{Repeal} to, or inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

CHAP. CXXIV.

An Act for the Payment of the Journal of Accounts.

Passed Mar 12 1827

WHEREAS it appears by the journal of accounts of this session, that there is due from this state the sum of forty-three thousand five hundred and one dollars and sixty-two cents. ^{Preamble}

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the treasurer of the western shore be, and he is hereby authorised and required, to pay the several persons, their executors, administrators, assigns or orders, or to such of them as shall offer to receive the same, the several sums of current money allowed to them respectively, as they appear to be settled and ascertained by the said journal of accounts, out of any money now in the treasury, or that shall come into the treasury, subject to the appropriation of the general assembly. ^{Treasurer authorised to pay, &c}

CHAP. CXXV.

An Act to regulate the amount of Capital on which the Annual Tax shall be paid by the Banks therein mentioned. ^{Passed Mar 12 1827}

WHEREAS the capital stocks of the Union Bank of Maryland, of the Mechanics Bank of Baltimore, and of the Commercial and Farmers Bank of Baltimore, and the rates of the shares of the said stocks respectively, have been reduced by several acts of assembly to their actual value, as impaired by losses; and it is just and reasonable that the stockholders in the said several banks should only pay a tax upon the actual amount of their respective stocks so impaired and reduced;

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the president and directors of the Union Bank of Maryland shall hereafter pay the annual tax of twenty cents only on each one hundred dollars of the capital stock of their said bank actually paid in, as the amount thereof has been reduced and rated by a supplement to the charter of the said bank, passed at December session in the year eighteen hundred and twenty-one, chapter one hundred and sixty-six, and upon any increase ^{Amount of tax on capital to be paid by Union Bank of Maryland}