

CHAP. 100.

CHAP. C.

Passed Feb 21 1827 A Further Additional Supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the more effectual collection of the County Charges of Allegany County.

Proceedings relative to non-resident's lands

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That in all cases where purchases may be made hereafter of any non-resident's lands in Allegany county, under the law to which this is a supplement, it shall be the duty of the purchaser or purchasers, and that of the collector of the tax for said county, to cause the same to be advertised in a newspaper printed in the town of Cumberland, Allegany county, in addition to those newspapers heretofore prescribed by law, in the same manner, form, and by the same direction, as they were, prior to the passage of this act, directed to be printed in other newspapers in this state, and to have the same effect as prescribed by the act passed at December session eighteen hundred and twenty-two, chapter one hundred and seventy one, to which this is a supplement to a further additional supplement.

CHAP. CI.

Passed Feb 21 1827 An Act to incorporate the Cumberland Engine Company, in the Town of Cumberland in Allegany County.

Preamble

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, by the president, directors and members, of the Cumberland Engine Company, in the town of Cumberland, in Allegany county, that the inhabitants of said town have purchased a fire engine, and other apparatus, for the extinguishment of fire, and have provided a house for the reception and preservation of the same; and for the purpose of securing the right and title to the said property, and to give effect to the laws, rules and regulations, which have or may be established by the said company, it has been prayed that an act of incorporation may pass in their favour; Therefore,

Company incorporated

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That John M. Lawrence, president, Gustavus Beall, vice-president, John Hoyce, Samuel P. Smith, Beane S. Pigman and Martin Riser, directors, and such other persons as now are or hereafter may become members of the said company, shall be, and they are hereby declared to be, one community, corporation and body politic, forever hereafter, by the name and style of The Cumberland Engine Company, and by that name they shall be and they are hereby made able and capable in law to have, purchase, receive, possess, enjoy and retain, to them and their successors, lands, tenements, rents, annuities, or other hereditaments, and the same to grant, demise, alien, and dispose of, in such manner as they may judge conducive to the interests of the company; *Provided nevertheless,* that the said corporation or body politic shall not, at any one time, hold or possess property, real, personal or mixed, exceeding the sum of five hundred dollars per annum.

Proviso.

May sue and be sued, &c

2. *And be it enacted,* That the said company, and their successors, by the aforesaid name, shall forever hereafter be able and capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered, defend and be defended, in all or any courts of justice whatsoever; and also to have, make