

United States, or by the courts of the United States, and to accept the office and appointment of executors or administrators of any kind or nature, whenever such office or appointment is conferred or made by any person or persons, or by any Orphans' Court or other court, either of this State or any one of the United States; and that in all cases where application shall be made to any court of this State for the appointment of any receiver, trustee, administrator, executor, assignee, guardian of any minors or committee of a lunatic, it shall and may be lawful for such court to appoint the said corporation, with its assent, such receiver, trustee, administrator, assignee, guardian or committee, and the accounts of such corporation as such receiver, trustee, administrator, executor, assignee, guardian or committee, shall be regularly settled before the court making such appointments; and upon such settlement and adjustment, all proper legal and customary charges, costs and expenses, shall be allowed to said corporation for its care and management of its trusts and estates, aforesaid, in accordance with the practice of the courts so appointing in the case of natural persons when so appointed; and the said corporation as such receiver, trustee, administrator, executor, assignee, guardian or committee, shall be subject to all lawful orders or decrees made by said court.

May receive money on deposit, etc. SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted,* That said company shall have power to receive money on deposit, to act as agent for the purpose of issuing, registering or countersigning certificates of stock, bonds or other evidence of debt of any State, corporation, association, municipality or public authority on such terms as may be agreed upon, to deal in exchange, foreign or domestic, and in every and all description of properties, personal effects, securities, mortgages, land, certificates of indebtedness, stocks of incorporated companies, notes, loans or bonds of the United States, or of any city, county or municipality, or of any incorporated company or any individual.

May insure fidelity of public officials. SEC. 8. *And be it further enacted,* That the said company shall be and is hereby authorized and empowered to insure the fidelity of persons holding places of trust or responsibility in, to or under any State, county, city, corporation, company, person or persons whatsoever; to become security for the performance of any trust, office, duty, contract or agreement, and to supersede any judgments, or to go upon any appeal or other bond; and it is further authorized to become sole security in all cases where by law two or more sureties are required for the faithful performance of any trust or office; and it shall and