State of Maryland or in any one of the United States, and to accept the office and appointment of executor or administrator, 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 of any of the United States, and that in all cases where application shall be made to any court in the State of Maryland or elsewhere for the appointment of any receiver, trustee, administrator, executor, assignee, guardian or committee, it shall and may be lawful for such court, if it shall think proper, to appoint said body corporate, with its assent, such receiver, trustee, administrator, executor, assignee, guardian or committee, and the accounts of said company, as such receiver, trustee, administrator, executor, assignee, guardian or committee, shall be regularly settled and adjusted before the tribunal having jurisdiction, and upon such settlement and adjustment all proper, legal and customary charges, costs and expenses, shall be allowed to said company for its care and management of the trusts and estates aforesaid. And the said company, as such receiver, trustee, administrator, executor, assignee, guardian or committee, shall be subject to all orders or decrees of the proper tribunal in the premises under the laws of the State wherein such tribunal shall or may exercise its jurisdiction.

Board of directors.

SEC. 9. And be it further enacted, That the board of directors or managers of said body corporate shall consist of not fewer than five nor more than twenty-five members thereof.

Subject to certain provisions SEC. 10. And be it further enacted, That said body corporate is hereby made subject to the provisions of each of chapters 109 and 278 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January session of 1892, so long as said chapters shall respectively remain in force.

Approved April 9, 1898.

CHAPTER. 530.

AN ACT to refund to C. E. Cronin and to Dennis E. Reardon certain sums of money respectively paid by them to the clerk of Court of Common Pleas of Baltimore city for licenses in excess of the amounts with which they were properly chargeable, and which respective amounts have been paid by said clerk to the State.

WHEREAS, On the first day of May, 1890, C. E. Cronin, agent for the Continental Brewing Company, a body corpor-