

Effective.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 5, 1898.

#### CHAPTER 215.

AN ACT to amend the charter of the Security Storage and Trust Company of Baltimore City.

Powers granted.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Security Storage and Trust Company of Baltimore City, a corporation duly formed under the provisions of Article twenty-three of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, title "Corporations," in addition to the powers possessed by it under its certificate of incorporation, which are hereby ratified and confirmed, shall have and possess the further powers, rights, privileges and franchises particularly mentioned in this Act, and that its charter as set out in said certificate of incorporation, shall be altered and amended so as conform to the terms and provisions of this Act.

Capital stock.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the capital stock of said corporation shall consist of fifteen hundred shares of one hundred dollars each, being one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, with the privilege of increasing the same by a two-thirds vote of the stockholders, at a special meeting to be called for that purpose, to one million dollars; and it shall be lawful for said corporation to increase said capital stock to the amount of one million dollars aforesaid, at any one time, or said capital stock may be increased from time to time by vote of the stockholders, as hereinbefore provided, not exceeding, however, in the aggregate the said sum of one million dollars; should the capital stock at any time be increased, as hereinbefore provided, the stockholders at the time of such increase shall be entitled to a *pro rata* share of such increase upon payment of the par value of the same.

Accept and execute trusts.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the said corporation be and it is hereby authorized to accept and execute as fully as a natural person, trusts of any and every description which may be committed or transferred to it with its consent, by any person or persons whomsoever, bodies corporate or politic, or by any court in the State of Maryland, or by the courts of the United States, or any of the States or Territories thereof; 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,