

land National Guard, and for the support and maintenance of said regiment.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the sum of sixteen thousand five hundred dollars so appropriated shall be paid out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the remaining ten thousand dollars likewise be paid in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, by the treasurer of the State of Maryland, to Colonel Willard Howard or other commanding officer of said regiment, to be used by him in discharging the debts incurred in making the necessary repairs, alterations, and improvements to said building, and for the further support and maintenance of said regiment, and Colonel Willard Howard or other commanding officer of said regiment, is directed to return to the Governor of this State to be submitted to the next session of the General Assembly a full report of the expenditure of this appropriation, and that of eighteen hundred and ninety-nine upon the said armory. How paid.

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

Approved April 7, 1898.

#### CHAPTER 259.

AN ACT to incorporate the "Real Estate Trust Company."

SECTION. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Miles White, Jr., E. Stanley Gary, S. Sterett McKim, J. Henry Ferguson, Jr., Charles Morris Howard, and their associates, successors and assigns, and all persons who may hereafter become stockholders in the company hereby incorporated, shall be a body corporate by the name and style of "Real Estate Trust Company," and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and shall be competent to sue and be sued in any court of law or equity whatever, and may have and use a common seal, and generally to do, execute and enforce all and singular such acts and contracts, matters and things as may be necessary to carry out the objects and protect the interests of said body corporate, and to exercise the powers by this Act conferred upon it. Body corporate.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the capital stock of said company shall consist of four thousand shares, at fifty dollars each, being two hundred thousand dollars, with the privilege of increasing the same, from time to time, up to the sum of Capital stock.