CHAP. 76. and City Council of Baltimore shall create a sinking fund to meet the liabilities to be incurred under the first section of this law, and may also levy upon the assessable property of the city of Baltimore from time to time such sum or sums as may be necessary to provide therefor, and for the payment of the principal and interest of the liabilities to be incurred under this act, and may pass all ordinances necessary to carry out the purposes of the same.

Repealed. Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That section eight hundred and seventy-one of Article four of the Code of Public Local Laws, be and the same is hereby repealed, without prejudice to any lawful acts already done thereunder.

In force. Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from and immediately after its passage.

CHAPTER 76.

Passed June AN ACT to authorize the affidavit required of 22, 1861.

Mortgagees before sale, by Article four, section seven hundred and eighty-three of the Public Local Laws of Baltimore city, to be made before the persons herein mentioned.

Affidavit.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the affidavit required by Article four, Section seven hundred and eighty-three of the Code of Public Local Laws, to be made by the mortgagees, their executors, administrators or assigns to the statement of the mortgage claim, may hereafter be made before the Judge mentioned in said article, and section, or before any Justice of the Peace for the county or city where the mortgagees, their executors, administrators or assigns may be at the time of the making of said affidavit, if within this State; the official character of the Justice being certified by the Clerk of the Circuit or Superior Court of such county or city under his