

CHAP. 199. river, and the extension of said road as far as it is deemed necessary: and the commissioners who received the former subscriptions of said banks and individuals, shall receive said additional subscriptions upon the same terms as the said original subscriptions, except that it shall not be necessary to give any notice of the opening of the books for that purpose, as is required by the original act.

Vacancy of managers.

Sec. 5. *And be it enacted*, That whenever a vacancy shall occur by the death, resignation, or refusal to act, of the said President, or either of said four Managers, to be appointed under said supplement, such vacancy shall be filled by such person or persons who shall be stockholders in one of said banks, or in said turnpike company, as may be elected by the said President and Managers, or a majority of them, who may be acting as such, or by said Managers or a majority of them, if the vacancy to be supplied be that of the President.

Banks may purchase stock.

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the said banks or either of them, may purchase from the said individual stockholders, the amount of stock already subscribed by them, or which may hereafter be subscribed, and hold the same, when so purchased, in the same manner as they now hold the stock already subscribed for by said banks.

CHAPTER 200

Passed Feb 25, 1836. *An act supplementary to an act for the dispatch of business in Baltimore county court.*

One judge decides demurrers.

Section 1. *Be it enacted* by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all demurrers filed in cases pending or hereafter to be instituted in Baltimore county court, may be decided by one Judge.

Proceedings directed.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of Baltimore county court at each city term of said court, to cause the sheriff of Baltimore county to summon from the city, a jury, which shall during the term attend the said court, for the trial of the cases, standing and remaining on the old trial docket of the said court, and also of all such cases as remain undecided, which were instituted to September term, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight, and March term, eighteen hundred and twenty-nine, and that it shall be the duty of one of the judges of said court, to sit at each city term until the said causes are finally tried and determined; *Provided nevertheless*, that the engagement at the time, of counsel in a cause in any other court shall be deemed and held to be a sufficient ground for the postponement or continuance of any cause on said docket when called.

Proviso.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That if a jury shall be sworn in any cause which is not finally ended & determined at the

Causes pending trial