

moving the limitation therein upon the amount of land to be held by said corporation.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 1 of Chapter 337 of the Acts of 1864 of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Union Mining Company of Allegany County," is hereby amended by striking out the last clause thereof which reads "provided, however, that said company shall not at any time actually hold, as owners thereof, more than five thousand acres of land," so that said Section 1 when amended shall read as follows:

1. That George W. McCulloh, F. A. Mason, Thomas H. Frost, C. M. Graham, John Neff, and such other persons as may become associated with them, in the manner hereinafter provided, shall be and they are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Union Mining Company of Allegany County, and by that name shall have succession, and be able and capable to sue and be sued, to plead and be impleaded in any court whatever, and at pleasure, and the said body corporate shall have all the powers, faculties, franchises and rights necessary or proper for the mining of coal, iron ore, making coke, and for the beneficial management of its property, and for the transportation and vending of its coal and other proceeds, issues and products of its mines and property to market, and shall have power and authority to purchase, lease and hold any property, real, personal and mixed, which may be deemed by said company necessary for its purposes.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That said corporation may continue to own, hold and use all property now or hereafter owned by it as fully and to the same extent as though said limitation had not been contained in its charter.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1st, 1929.

Approved April 11, 1929.

CHAPTER 525.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 26 of Article 97 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Weights and Measures," making two thousand pounds the standard weight of a ton of coal.