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CHAPTER 233.

Passed March AN ACT to amend the third article of Public Lo-7, 1860. cal Laws by adding a section, authorizing the sale or lease of a portion of the alms house property belonging to Baltimore county.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly Sale or lease authorised. of Maryland, That the county commissioners of Baltimore county be, and they are hereby, authorised to make sale or lease for a term of years of all that portion of the real estate known as the almshouse property, which was purchased by Baltimore county from the commissioners appointed on the part of Baltimore city, and the commissioners appointed on the part of Baltimore county to make public sale of the same at the Exchange, in the city of Baltimore, on the twenty-third day of March, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-eight; Pro-Proviso. vided, however, that no such sale or lease for term of years shall be made for a less sum than the actual cost of said property to Baltimore county, as the same shall appear upon the books of the commissioners of Baltimore county, or if on lease six per cent, interest nett on said cost as aforesaid.

In the event SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the said commisof Balt city sioners of Baltimore county may sell the said propurchasing, the commissioners are re- the same for a term of years, as to them may seem quired to take best, and in the event of the Mayor and City Counin payment six p.ct. stock cil of Baltimore becoming the purchaser of said of that city. property, the commissioners authorized and required to receive in payment therefor, the corporate stock of Baltimore city, bearing interest of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and redeemable on or before the first day of April, eightteen hundred and seventy-nine.

Compensa-Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That the said comtion. missioners shall be entitled to charge and receive as a compensation for their services in making such sale the same rate of per diem as they are now allowed by law for every day they may be engaged in such service.

Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That this act shall In force. go into effect from and after the passage of the same.