their number to serve as directors of the company, Chap. 363. a majority of whom shall be a quorum for the transaction of business until the time which the by-laws shall prescribe for, and their election, or until their successors shall have been chosen; the said company may, by their by-laws, prescribe the number of directors to be hereafter chosen; Provided, however, the number of directors shall not be less than five.

Proviso.

Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That nothing herein Construction. contained shall be taken or construed so as to authorise the said company to establish a banking institution in the State of Maryland, or exercise directly or indirectly in this State any of the privileges of a bank.

SEC. 5. And be it enacted, That the State of Mary-Reservation. land shall have, and hereby reserves to itself the power at any time hereafter to repeal or alter this charter.

## CHAPTER 363.

AN ACT making appropriations for the support Passed March of the Government for the year ending on the 10, 1860. first day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly Appropria-of Maryland, That for the expenditure in the sup-tions for the year 1861. port of the government for the year ending on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and sixtytwo, the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same are appropriated, that is to say:

## STATE OFFICERS.

For the salary of the Governor of the State, State officers. three thousand six hundred dollars; for the salary of the Secretary of State, one thousand dollars; for the salary of the private secretary of the Governor. eight hundred dollars; for the salary of the Comptroller of the treasury department, two thousand