

CHAP. 40. to do and execute all such acts, matters and things as to them, shall or may appertain to do.

Issues forbid. SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That nothing in this act be construed so as to authorise the said corporation to issue any note, token, device, scrip or other evidence of debt, to be used as currency.

Rights reserved. SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That this act of incorporation shall enure for thirty years from its passage, and that the legislature reserves to itself the right to alter and annul this act of incorporation at pleasure.

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CHAPTER 39.

Passed Jan 27 1843. *An act for the relief of John N. Bowland, former Sheriff and Collector of Somerset County.*

Further time allowed. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That John N. Bowland, late sheriff and collector of Somerset county, be, and he is hereby authorised and empowered to collect and receive all and any balance or amount of officers fees, chancery taxes, and fines and forfeitures and county taxes, which may be due to the said John N. Bowland, as sheriff and collector aforesaid, in the same manner and with the same powers and privileges as are now allowed by law, and in the same manner and to the same effect as if the term of office of the said John N. Bowland as sheriff and collector as aforesaid had not yet expired; *provided,* that if any person against whom there is a claim by said John N. Bowland, for officers fees, chancery taxes, fines and forfeitures, or county taxes as aforesaid, shall make affidavit before any justice of the peace of said county, that he or she believes the same to be unjust, or that the same had been paid at any previous time to the person claiming the same, it shall forever bar such claims; *and provided,* that nothing in this act shall be construed to effect the estate of any deceased person, *and provided also,* that this act shall only continue in force for one year from its passage.

Provisoos.

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CHAPTER 40.

Passed Jan. 27, 1843. *An act for the benefit of Robert Taylor, of the City of Baltimore.*

Preamble. WHEREAS, it is represented to this General Assembly, that a certain Robert Taylor has become entitled to a cer-