

full age and legally competent to sell, convey and exchange real estate. CHAP. 264.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That no sale or exchange of the said lands, or purchase of other lands, which shall be made by the said Virginia W. Mason, or any exchange thereof, shall be valid or binding on the said Virginia, unless some two of the judges of Washington county court shall, upon full inquiry and due consideration, advise, under their hands and seals, that the same be made, or ratify, in like manner, the same when made. Two judges to advise or ratify sale of land

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the said two judges shall direct how and in what manner the bonds or money to be received for the said lands, shall be vested or deposited until the purchase of other lands, or until the said Virginia W. Mason shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years. Judges to direct deposit of money

CHAPTER 264.

An act to incorporate the Benedict Steam Milling and Manufacturing Company. Passed Mar. 16, 1840.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That James F. Sotheron, William Thomas, Joseph F. Shaw, James Morton, William F. Bowling, William C. Dyer, James T. Thomas, Peter Wood, William Morton, George Morton, William R. Barker, James Summerville and William Hall, and all such other persons as may be hereafter associated with them, shall be and they are hereby incorporated, and made a body politic and corporate, under the name and style of the Benedict Steam Milling and Manufacturing Company, and for the prosecution of such other operations as may grow out of or be connected with such manufacture; and the said corporation, under the name and style of the Benedict Steam Milling and Manufacturing company, is hereby invested with all the rights, privileges and powers conferred upon such companies by an act, entitled an act prescribing general regulations for the incorporation of manufacturing and mining companies, passed the twenty-eighth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine; and the said company is hereby made subject to the restrictions and regulations prescribed in said act. Individuals incorporated
Name and style
General regulations to govern