

der the authority of this act, shall be valid and effectual, unless and until the same shall be reported to and be ratified by the court of chancery, or by Baltimore county court, sitting as a court of equity; and provided further, that the proceeds of any sales which may be made in virtue of the provisions of this act, shall be paid over, be vested and held in like manner, as if such sale had been made under the provisions of the act passed at December session, eighteen hundred and sixteen, chapter one hundred and fifty-four.

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SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That before the said Alexander B. Gordon shall be authorised to act in the premises as hereinbefore provided, he shall first file with the register of the court of chancery, or the clerk of Baltimore county court, a bond in such sum with sufficient security as shall be approved by the chancellor, or by the judges of said Baltimore county court, for the faithful performance of the trusts hereinbefore expressed and provided.

Give bond.

CHAPTER 219.

An act relating to Costs in Cases in Equity.

Passed March 5, 1845.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the passage of this act, in any case now pending or hereafter pending in the chancery court, or in any county court, as a court of equity, a rule security for costs may be laid at any time before a final decree is passed, by any defendant or defendants, against a complainant, non-resident at the time of filing said bill, or becoming such after the filing thereof, to have effect as if the rule were laid according to the laws and practice now in force.

Security for costs.

CHAPTER 220.

An act to incorporate the New York Mining Company.

Passed Feb. 26, 1845.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Oroondates Mauran, Barrett Ames, Robert B. Minturn, Jonathan Sturges, Charles Denison and Samuel M. Semmes, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby made a corporation, by the name of the

Incorporated.