

CHAP. 350. charge granted originally in the case of his application; and that said personal discharge shall have as full effect as if no unfavorable report had been made; *provided nevertheless*, that the bond given for the personal appearance of said appellant shall remain in full force and vigor, until a final decision shall have been had in the case before Baltimore county court.

Proviso.

CHAPTER 350.

Passed Mar. 10, 1846. *An act to incorporate the Susquehanna Steam Tow Boat Company.*

Incorporated. **SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That William Mason, William Owen, James C. Sellman, J. J. Abrahams, Joseph C. Wilson, Thomas Wilson and others, their successors and assigns, be and they are hereby created and made a corporate and body politic, by the name and title of the Susquehanna Steam Tow Boat Company, and by that name and title shall have succession, and shall be capable in law to sue and be sued in any court of law or equity, to have and use a common seal and to alter the same when deemed expedient, and generally to do all such acts as shall be proper and necessary for the purpose of employing one or more steam boats, to navigate the Chesapeake bay and its tributary streams, for the conveyance of passengers, towing ships, vessels, canal boats or arks, and the transportation of merchandize or other articles.

Company may increase capital. **SEC. 2.** *And be it enacted,* That it shall be lawful for said company hereby created, to enlarge the capital of said company, when necessary for the purpose of increasing the business of said company, so as the capital of said company shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars, to be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, to be subscribed for or disposed of, from time to time, in such manner as the resolutions or by-laws, made in pursuance of this charter, shall provide.

Officers. **SEC. 3.** *And be it enacted,* That the affairs of said company shall be managed by a president, and a board of directors, consisting of six persons; the president and directors to be chosen out of the stockholders of said company, the president to be a member of said board of directors, shall be elected on the first Monday in Febru-