

**CHAP. 277.** a right to vote which shall not have been holden one month previous to the days of such general meeting, the manner of calling such general meetings shall be regulated by the bye-laws.

Not exempt from taxation.

**SEC. 13.** *And be it enacted,* That nothing herein contained shall be construed to restrict the right of the legislature to impose from time to time, and at all times during the continuance of this act, and levy and collect such reasonable tax upon the capital stock or estate of this corporation, as may comport with the general system of taxing monied institutions.

In force.

**SEC. 14.** *And be it enacted,* That this act shall continue and be in force until the first day of January eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

Banking for bid.

**SEC. 15.** *And be it enacted,* That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to confer banking privileges on said company, nor the right to issue any note in the nature of a bank note.

Reservation.

**SEC. 16.** *And be it enacted,* That the legislature may at any time repeal or amend this act when they may deem said repeal or amendment beneficial to the community or the said company.

**CHAPTER 276.**

Passed

**Mar. 10, 1848.** *An act entitled, an act for the benefit of John E. Stewart, of Kent County.*

To transfer interest.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That John E. Stewart be and he is hereby authorised and empowered, by and with the consent of the orphans court of Kent county, to transfer all his right, title and interest in a certain negro boy named William Gibbs, bound to the said John E. Stewart for a term of years, to Thomas Slaughter of Queen Anne's county.

**CHAPTER 277.**

Passed

**March 6, 1848.** *A supplement to an act entitled, an act for the more prompt and economical collection of the State and County Taxes, in the County of Baltimore.\**

Preamble.

**WHEREAS,** Doubts have arisen as to the true construction and meaning of the act of December session