

CHAP. 248. in the presence of any other person choosing to attend the same.

How construed **SEC. 15.** *And be it enacted,* That this charter and act of incorporation, and every part thereof, shall be good and available in all things, in the laws, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, and shall be construed, reputed and adjudged, in all cases, most favorable in behalf, and for the best benefit and behoof of the said trustees and their successors, so as most effectually to answer the end of this corporation towards the general advancement and promotion of religious knowledge, science and literature.

Banking forbid **SEC. 16.** *And be it enacted,* That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to authorise this corporation to issue any note, token, device, scrip, or other evidence of debt, to be used as currency.

Reservation. **SEC. 17.** *And be it enacted,* That the Legislature reserves to itself the right to change, alter or repeal this act of incorporation at pleasure.

CHAPTER 248.

Passed Feb 26, 1850. *An act to Incorporate the Potomac Transportation Company.*

Incorporated, &c. **SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Thomas G. Harris, James Hunter, Samuel Humma, William Browne, and Joseph H. Piper, and all other persons who may become interested in the stock of said company, which is herein authorised to be created, be and they are hereby constituted and made a corporation and body politic, by the name of the Potomac Transportation Company, and by that name 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 at pleasure to alter the same, and generally to exercise such acts as shall be deemed proper and necessary for establishing their line or lines of canal boats, for the transportation of coal, iron, merchandize, and all articles of commerce.

Capital stock **SEC. 2.** *And be it enacted,* That the capital stock of said company shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars, in shares of five hundred dollars each,