

CHAP. 268. answered, defend and be defended in any court of justice whatever, and to make and use a common seal, and the same to alter or renew at pleasure, and severally to do and perform all things relative to the management of the academy.

Banking forbid SEC. 8 *And be it enacted*, That nothing herein contained, shall be so construed as to authorise or empower said corporation to issue any note, certificate, token, or other evidence of debt, to be used as a currency, and the right is hereby expressly reserved to the General Assembly of Maryland, at its pleasure, to alter, amend or annul this act of incorporation.

Right reserved.

CHAPTER 268.

Passed Feb 27, 1850. *An act to establish a Bank, and incorporate a Company, to be styled the Farmers and Mechanics Bank of Carroll County.*

Incorporated, &c

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That a Bank, to be called and known by the name of the Farmers and Mechanics Bank of Carroll county, shall be established in the town of Westminster, in said county, and that the capital stock of the said Bank shall be limited to three hundred thousand dollars, to consist of twelve thousand shares, of twenty-five dollars each.

Commissioners to receive subscriptions

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That a book of subscription for six thousand shares shall be opened at Westminster, under the direction of Nicholas Durbin, Abraham Shaffer, Jacob Showèr, Abraham Wampler, George Crouse, William Bachman, John K. Longwell, George Everhart, Joshua Smith, George Showèr, David Frankforter, David Cassell, Joseph Orendorff, Jacob Mathias, John Roop, junior, Michael Sullivan, Abraham Roop, David H. Shriver, Jacob Reese, David Geiman, Andrew K. Shriver, Jacob Maus, Jacob Righter, Abraham Baile, Mordecai G. Cockey, Nimrod Gardner, Nathan Brown, John H. Lindsay, Henry Devriese, Joseph Steele, Robert T. Shipley, Joseph Ebaugh, Thomas Wells, Richard Richards, Daniel Hoover, and also another at Uniontown for six thousand shares, under the direction of William Shepherd, Isaac Slingluff, John Smith, of Joshua, Lewis Shuer, John Roberts, John Weaver, John Ma-