

CHAP. 9. of Maryland, two certificates of State Stock, one for one thousand dollars, of six per cent. stock, issued under the act of Assembly of eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, chapter twenty, dated July the fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty, and numbered nine thousand five hundred and sixty-five, and the other for eight hundred dollars, of five per cent. stock, issued under the act of eighteen hundred and forty-seven, chapter forty-one, dated August the twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and fifty, and numbered nine thousand six hundred and seventy-one, and that said certificates were lost in the month of October eighteen hundred and fifty, and have not been recovered, although all proper efforts to recover the same by advertisement and otherwise, have been made by the said Myers Peirce—Therefore,

Commissioner of loans authorised to issue new certificates. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the commissioner of loans be, and he is hereby authorised and directed, to issue to the said Myers Peirce new certificates, showing on their face, that they are duplicates of the said certificates alleged to be lost, and corresponding in amount with said lost certificates, which duplicate certificates, shall entitle the holder thereof, to receive all arrears of interest unpaid and now due on said lost certificates; *Provided,* that the said commissioner of loans shall be satisfied that said certificates were really lost, as alleged, and have not since been recovered; *and provided also,* that the said Myers Peirce shall give to the said commissioner of loans, satisfactory security to indemnify the State against any other claim or demand on account of the said certificates alleged to be lost.

In force. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from and after the day of its passage.

CHAPTER 9.

Passed Feb. 11, 1852. AN ACT to authorise the Renewal of certain Certificates of Stock of the State of Maryland therein mentioned.

Preamble. WHEREAS, Under and by authority of the act of eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, chapter three hundred and eighty-six, a certificate of stock of the State of Maryland, numbered five thousand six hundred and seventy-two, bearing date the fifteenth of May, eight-