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8. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the money authorised to be raised by the lottery aforesaid, shall be applied under the direction of the mayor and city council aforesaid to the purposes directed by this act in such manner as they may consider most judicious and use-

CHAPTER 117.

Passed Jan, 31, An act authorising Zephaniah Waters of Charles county, to raise by lottery, a sum of money for the purpose

-therein mentioned.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, Zephaniah Waters of Charles county, hath set forth by his petition to this General Assembly, that great advantages would result to the inhabitants of that section of the state where he resides, from the erection of a fulling mill with a carding and spinning machinery thereto annexed, and hath prayed that an act may pass authorising him to raise by lottery a certain

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sum of money for the purpose aforesaid; Therefore, Sec. 1. BE IT ENACTED by the General Assem-bly of Maryland, That it shall and may be lawful for Alexander Johnson, Joseph Simpson, Joseph A. Turner, James Boarman and Zephaniah Waters, or a majority of them, to propose a scheme or schemes of a lottery to raise a sum of money not exceeding two thousand dollars, and to sell and dispose of the tickets thereof ; Provided the said Alexander Johnson, Joseph Simpson, Joseph A Turner, James Boarman and Zephaniah Waters, or such majority of them as shall undertake to act, before the sale or disposal of any ticket or tickets in said lottery, shall give bond to the state of Maryland in the penalty of ten thousand dollars, conditioned that they will well and truly apply so much of the money arising therefrom, within six months after the completition of drawing said lottery, as will satisfy the fortunate adventurers for prizes drawn by them; and after deducting the necessary expenses incurred in said lottery, shall within eighteen months after the drawing of said lottery is completed, cause the said money to be laid out in the erection of a fulling mill with a carding and spinning machinery thereto annexed, in Charles county, at a place to be procured and fixed on by the said Zephaniah Waters, with the approbation of the commissioners aforesaid, and for the benefit and advantage, and as the property and estate thereafter, of the said Zephaniah Waters. his heirs and assigns.

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2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That in case the sum of money to be raised by the provisions of this act shall not be sufficient for the purpose of erecting and completing the fulling mill and machinery aforesaid, then it shall be the duty of the said commissioners or a majority of them as aforesaid, to apply the same to erecting and completing the said mill so far as the same may suffice.

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