

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Commissioner of Loans be, and he is hereby authorised and directed to borrow on the credit and for the use of this State, at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum and at such times and in such sums as the Treasurer of the Western Shore shall advise, not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars—to be made payable twelve months after the date of each loan, out of the proceeds of the tax directed to be levied by the act of the present session entitled “an act for the general valuation and assessment of property in this State and to provide a tax to pay the debts of the State,” and the revenue thence to be derived as well as the faith of the State, is hereby appropriated to and pledged for the punctual payment of the said loans, both principal and interest.

And be it further resolved, That if any bank in this State, whereof the State is a stockholder, shall purchase of the Commissioner of Loans, the stock thereof belonging to the State, upon such terms as the Treasurer of the Western Shore shall approve and shall comply with the said terms, the right of the State to appoint directors in the said bank shall thenceforth cease and be determined.”

Which were severally read the first and by a special order the second time.

Mr. Bowie called for the previous question; which being demanded by a majority of the members present, the said previous question was put, that is, shall the main question be now put? and it was

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Graves called for a division of the question upon each resolution.

The question was then put upon the 1st resolution; and

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Gantt,

The yeas and nays were ordered and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Ridgely, Spkr.	Rider	E. A. Lynch
Heard	Williams	Naill
Coade	Frazier	Billingslea
Causin	Simcoe	Whiteford
Welch of K.	Bowie	Sullivan
Edes	Maccubbin	Nesbitt
Jones of K.	George	Claggett
Gantt	Ford	England
Estep	Forman	Gaither
Dorsey	Hearn	Gittings
Dalrymple	Cathell	Gott
Weems	Hooper	Sprigg of Al.
Brent	Richardson	Coombs
Matthews	Wm. Lynch	Thayer—43
Parsons		