

close the concerns of the said bank; and the directors, in pursuance of such resolution, have petitioned the general assembly to pass a law in aid of such resolution; Therefore, CHAP. 97.

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland.* That from and after the twentieth day of February next, it shall not be lawful for the said bank to make any new discount, but may renew paper already discounted from time to time, and may take bonds or bills, single or penal, for all debts due to the bank. Bank not to make any new discounts

2. *And be it enacted,* That the operation of the act, entitled, An act to facilitate the recovery of debts due from the several banks in this state, and to compel the said banks to pay specie for their notes, or forfeit their charters, passed at December session eighteen hundred and eighteen, be and the same is hereby suspended till the first day of January eighteen hundred and twenty-four, so far as relates to the Cumberland Bank of Alleghany. Operation of act suspended as relates to bank

3. *And be it enacted,* That so much of the several acts of assembly, which require the Cumberland Bank of Alleghany to pay the sum of twenty cents upon every hundred dollars of the capital stock actually paid, or which may hereafter be paid in, is hereby repealed, and that the said bank shall be released from the payment of the said tax, since the first day of January eighteen hundred and twenty-one, and ever thereafter, and that the said charter shall remain and be in force as if the said tax had been regularly paid, according to the provisions of said charter, any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding. Released from payment of tax on capital

4. *And be it enacted,* That the president and directors shall hereafter have power to sell and dispose of, at public sale, all the real and personal estate of said bank, giving public notice of such sale by advertisement in one of the newspapers in Cumberland, one in Frederick and one in Hager's-town, at least sixty days previous to such sale. May dispose of real and personal estate

5. *And be it enacted,* That it shall not be lawful for the president and directors of the said bank to make any dividend or dividends of any profits received by the said bank, until all the debts due from the said bank shall be fully paid and satisfied, and when the debts of the bank shall be fully paid and satisfied, the president and directors may proceed to make dividends of the funds and stock of the bank from time to time, among the stockholders; *Provided always,* if the directors after the passage of this law shall discount any new paper, or declare any dividend, except only to make dividends of the funds and stock after the payment of the debts of the bank, then this act, and every part thereof, shall cease to have effect and operation. No dividend to be made until debts due from bank are paid

6. *And be it enacted,* That the president and directors of the said bank are hereby authorised to make sale of the Cumberland road stock held by said bank, upon such terms and conditions as they may deem advisable. May sell road stock

CHAP. XCVIII.

An Act to change and alter the Name of William Heyser Quantrill, to that of Jesse Duncan Elliott Quantrill. Passed Jan 30 1821

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the name of William Heyser Quantrill, son of Thomas Quantrill, Name changed