

Dec.Ses. 1823 *held or construed to exempt any clerk or register, or their securities from liability on his bond, for breach or neglect of duty.*

Monies to be paid in case of death of clerks, &c. *10. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the Sheriffs of the several counties and other persons authorised to collect the fees of the clerks and registers herein mentioned, on the death, removal or resignation of any of the said clerks or registers, to pay all fees collected by them to the successor of the officer dead, removed or resigned, to be by him applied as herein before directed.*

Treasurer's duty. *11. And be it enacted, That upon the failure, refusal, or neglect of any of the aforesaid clerks or registers to perform the duties prescribed by this act, it shall be the duty of the Treasurer of the Shore, on which such clerk or register may reside, to make known such failure, refusal or neglect, immediately to the Attorney General and the Executive of the state of Maryland and to the Legislature at the commencement of their next session.*

Attorney General's duty. *12. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the Attorney General upon receiving such information from the Treasurer, or as soon as he shall in any manner be informed of such failure, neglect or refusal, to institute and prosecute all proper and lawful process against such clerk or register, and their securities, to enforce their compliance with the duties prescribed to them in this act, and to punish such clerk or register for such failure, refusal or neglect.*

CHAPTER 147.

Passed Feb. 16, 1824. *An act to repeal the fourth and fifth sections of an act entitled, An act to relieve the people of this state, as far as practicable, from the evils arising from the demands made on the Banks of this state for Gold and Silver by brokers, and to prohibit the Officers of the several Banks from buying and selling Bank Notes of the Banks of this state at a less price than their nominal value, passed at December session, 1818, chapter 191.*

Repeal. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the fourth and fifth sections of the above recited act, be, and the same are hereby repealed, as far as the same relates to the sale or disposition of foreign Gold or Silver coin.*

CHAPTER 148.

Passed Feb. 16, 1824. Preamble. *An act to incorporate the Fell's Point Wesleyan Sabbath School. WHEREAS, it is represented to this general assembly, that John G. Chappell, Joseph Sumwall, John B. M. L. Tournan, Philip S. Chappell, together with sundry other persons in the city of Baltimore, have formed themselves into a society for the purpose of teaching children on the Sabbath and are desirous of obtaining an act of incorporation to enable them more fully to carry their benevolent design into effect. And whereas this general assembly is willing to aid and encourage an institution so truly praiseworthy in its object;—Therefore,*

Incorporation. *SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the said John G. Chappell, Joseph Sumwall, John B. M. L. Tournan, Philip S. Chappell, together with sundry other persons composing the said society, and all such persons as may hereafter be admitted into their said society agreeably to the present constitution, rules and bye-laws of the same, or such alterations and amendments of the constitution, or new rules and regulations as may hereafter be made and adopted by the said society, shall be and they and their successors are hereby declared to be one community corporation and body politic forever hereafter, by the name and style of the Wesleyan Sabbath School society of Fells' Point, and by that name they*