NUMBER 27.

and Ohio Canal to Cumberland. BECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Aswindly of Maryland, That whenever the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, in a general meeting of the Stockholders assembled, shall assent and agree to all and each of the provisions of this act, and shall communicate such assent, approval and agreement under its corporate seal and the signature of the President to the Governor of this State, that then it shall be the duty of
the said Desident and Directors are hereby recountered to eject from Court, a the daily line to the South via NORPOLK and PORTSthe said Desident and Directors are hereby recountered that it became necessary to eject from Court, a the daily line to the South via NORPOLK and PORTSthe said Desident and Directors are hereby recountered that it became necessary to eject from Court, a the daily line to the South via NORPOLK and PORTSwhile the daily line to the daily line to the South via NORPOLK and PORTSthe said Desident and Directors are hereby recountered to the signature of the daily line to the South via NORPOLK and PORTSthe daily line to the daily line to th the commissioner of loans of this State to issae, at such time and in such sums of not less than one hundred dollars, as may be deemed convenient, certificates of stock, or bonds of this State to an amount not exceeding in the whole, the sum of two millions of dollars, irredeemable for thirty years, and redeemable thereafter at or contractors. the pleasure of the State, and bearing an interest of six per centum per annum, payable semiannually, at the loan office in the city of Baltimore, on the first day of January and July in each and every year, provided however, that no stock shall be issued until it will command par. and then only so much as shall have been actual-

ly contracted to be sold. Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That so scou as the commissioner of loans shall have sold the said certificates of stock or bonds of this State, or any portion of the same, he shall pay the to make these rail roads at the public expense, mal?" proceeds thereof into the Treasury of the Western Shore, and the Treasurer of the Western Shore shall set apart and apply the said proceeds, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the redemption of the certificates which may provisions of this act, a full and satisfactory statement of which shall be laid before the Treasurer eceds of sales of said bonds or certificates of the "Maryland and New York Iron and Coal ness bluntly. by the said canal company; and should the prostock, exceed the amount necessary for the rebe issued, as aforesaid, the said Treasurer is given satisfactory bonds to the State of Mary- wind shifted during the latter part of the Deg's hereby authorized upon the requisition of said canal company to pay the surplus to said company; procided, that in no one quarter of a year shall said Treasurer pay to said company more than four hundred thousand dollars.

Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That for the purbe borrowed, the State hereby pledges her right to the tolls of said Canal, after such sums shall be of the company, and the said Chesapeake and and the several laws applicable thereto, make necessary are hereby required, to increase the tolls for the transportation upon said Canal to the maximum charge fixed by the charter, immediately after the passage of this act, except upon the article of coal, which shall be increased to at least one cent per ton per mile immediately after the completion of the Canal to Cumberland, unless the agents appointed to represent the State in said canal company shall certify in writing to the State would be injured by such increase on the article of coal, and in case the said President and Directors fail or refuse to comply with this provision, it shall be the duty of the agents reremove them at the next general meeting of the stockholders.

Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That for the purpose of providing for the payment of the principal of the debt by this act authorised to be contracted, the annual sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, to arise from the tolls upon the canal, are hereby appropriated, and set apart, which said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars shall be paid one half thereof on the first day of March, and the residue on the first day of September in each sum to be paid by the President and Directors of the canal company, out of the tolls to be received expenses of the said canal, this appropriation of the profits and tolls of the canal, is in aid of the general faith, and credit of the State, which is hereby pledged in the fullest manner for the payment of both principal and interest on the money hereby authorized to be borrowed.

Sec. 5. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the president and directors of the said Examination of the mate of the Prince of Wales, ping canal company, to pay to the Treasurer for the Western Shore of Maryland, the tolks and profits ! of the said canal as directed by the third section ! of this act, semi-annually, on the first Tuesday | shifted in the evening. What time did the wind | turns from the operation of bleeding to that of of March and the first Tuesday of September, in shift?' each and every year after the canal shall have !

reached Cumberland. Shore, under the provisions of this act, to the when the wind shifted?" said Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, and for the redemption of the certificates authorized to be issued by this act, shall be considered, held Treasurer, proper acknowledgments in form to | watch.' be approved by him of the payment of said mo- Three bells-half past fire-four to six,' reit- Court a sensation not to be described. The sons company, and upon its tolls and profits; and it was the weather then?" shall be the right and privilege of the said State, Greasy looking to the sow-west. Sun too the tell-tale features of the members of the bar. he expedient and proper so to do, to convert the eye, could a seed a breeze was abrewin.' the said loan into the capital stock of the said company at par in respect of which the said State shall be a preferred stockholder in the same way, take up a position properly apart from the Prince and to the same extent, as is provided by the act of Wales? of eighteen hundred and thirty-five, chap, three | handred and ninety-five.

Sec. 7. And be it enacted, That the maximum | rect. rate of tolls on the said Chesapeake and Ohio | 'Well, then, I says, when one takes into ac-Canal, shall, from and after the first day of Jan-| count the sarcumstances as might deceive the best wary, eighteen hundred and forty-four, except man in taking up a distance, I must say as the upon the article of coal, be raised to double the barque might are taken up a teorse berth. amount now authorised to be charged by the 'In what way could that deception arise?' charter, provided the Congress of the United Why, from our bnoy not watching at the is unattainable. It may be enjoyed by the pea-States and the Legislature of Virginia shall as- time. to the same, and the Governor of the State | 'The boy not watching at the time-lazy dog! wealthy lord. The insect which satisfies its thirst hereby required to cause a copy of this act to The murder's coming out,' said Waddy, exult- with the dew-drop contained in the floweret's

tations in favor of its adoption as to him may prevarication, he thus proceeded:

seem reasonable and proper. Sec. 8. And be it enacted, That before this act would matters have gone the wrong way with shall have any effect whatsoever, it shall be the Prince of Wales had their been a proper duty of the President and Directors of the said watch upon deck?" the said President and Directors are hereby re- couple of Sunderland 'skippers.'-Upon the resquired to take good and sufficient security from | toration of order and the repetition of the questhe contractor or contractors to be approved by tion, the witness replied; the Treasurer of the Western Shore, that the There was a watch upon deck." work as contracted to be done, shall be fully ex-

Sec. 9. And be it enacted, That our Senators ing,' he continued, interrogating the Witness, burg train. and Representatives in Congress, be and they are 'that a proper watch had been on deck when the hereby requested to use their best efforts to pro- | wind shifted?" cure the assent of that body to the seventh section of this act.

therefore, be it further enacted, that before any contract shall be made for the completion of said | canal to Cumberland, or bond or certificate issued under the provisions of this act, the Treasurer of the Western Shore shall certify, under his | hand and seal of office, to the President and Diincorporated by the Legislature of this State, to dumb animal, to the watch of a dog? wit, the "Boston and New York Coal Company," There was never a dog aboard," said the wit-Company," the Maryland Mining Company," land, conditioned for the construction and com- Watch. pletion of a rail road adequate to convey to said Bill, let's bolt,' said an auditor, addressing a taneously with the completion of the Chesa- beggar's lubberly lip." peake and Ohio Canal to Cumberland.

sold in time to be immediately available, the brig's deck. said company may, and it is hereby authorised | The witness said, James Thompson, my lord, ceeds of the sales of the said certificates of or took lead or helm in hand." said certificates shall be issued in any one quar- dy aside to the jury. ter of a year.

this bill shall be operative until one or more of ['I ask the witness, my lud, if the boy whose the Incorporated coal and iron companies in Al. | dexterity in taking up a distance he so much exlegany county, shall have entered into bonds tols, could have prevented the dangerous proxi- to the above business, begs the patronage of a generous with security to the State of Maryland, to be ap- mity of the Lady Elizabeth to the Prince of public. Satisfactory references by that their opinion and belief, the best interest of proved by the Treasurer of the Western Shore, Wales—why, then, I ask, as a mere matter of to pay two hundred thousand dollars per annum | precaution, was not this matchless, quicksighted | for five years for the transportation of their own lad put upon the watch?" coal, iron or other materials or goods at the expiration of each and every year from and after six months, after the completion of said caual to judge. Waddy bowed to the bench. presenting the State in joint stock companies to Cumberland, Provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to exonerate or release the said companies or ewners and proprietors, [reply from the payment of the full regular charge of tolls upon the whole amount of articles transported by them whenever the same shall, at the | witness was put to the test. It was with diffirate of tolls charged or to be charged by the canal company, exceed in cost the aforesaid sum of two hundred thousand dollars.

Sec. 13. And be it enacted, That the Attorney General of this State, is hereby required to in-Cumberland, to the Treasurer for the Western State now holds on the revenues, profits, tolls, study?" Shore of Maryland, to be by him accumulated as and properties of said company, which have a sinking fund for the purpose aforesaid, the said been made and executed under and by virtue of my life." existing acts of Assembly.

Sec. 14. And be it further enacted, That the the boy wanted bleeding! upon the said canal after paying the interest as appropriation authorised by this act shall be apdirected by the second section of this act, and the plied exclusively to the future construction of the said Chesapeake and Ohio Canal to Cumber. | extended arms-'was ever greater ignorance beland, and to no other use or purpose whatsover. THE SAILOR IN COURT.

An English paper gives the following descrip-

tion of a scene in court: in a case for damage in consequence of being run foul of by the Lady Elizabeth, in the Downs. 'You have already stated that the wind had

'The latter part of the dog watch,' replied the

Sec. 6. And be it enacted, That the said sums | 'I ask not during which dog's watch it was - if you can,' said the mate in a tone of defiance. so to be paid by the Treasurer of the Western | my question refers to time. What hour was it | 'I can't suffer you, my man, to be insolent to

'About three bells.' 'Three o'elock, eh?'

'I never said three o'clock,' returned the wit- man, my lord, as can bear to be bullied and badand taken as a loan to the said company, and the ness, marking the lawyer's mistake. 'I said | gered about by a lubberly lawyer, as doesn't said company shall issue and deliver to the said | three bells-half past five, in the four to six | know the main brace from the captain's breeches?

ney, which said acknowledgments shall consti- | erated Waddy. 'What a precious specification of the sea were seen rubbing their hands with tate a lien on all the property, and effects of said of time. Well, then, sir, at three bells-how | glee and delight, whilst expressions of surprise,

whenever in the opinion of the legislature it may looked wild and watery. Any one with half an

"She did, but--"

Come, no buts, sir-answer the question di-

AP. ACT for the completion of the Chesapeake | passage of this act, together with such represen- | to put to him, and above all, to be cantious of 'I ask you, sir, as a scaman, on your oath,

> Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company to contract | The absurdity of this question, added to the for the Completion of the canal to Cumberland, pompous declamatory tone in which it was deat a sum not exceeding the amount herein before livered, excited so much of noise and mirth anthorised and directed to be borrowed, and to amongst the nantical portion of the anditory,

> 'My Lud,' said Waddy, turning to the bench, conted within the time limited by said contractor this is positively the grostest case, of prevarication I ever met with. Do you persist in swear-

> > 'I do,' said the mate in a firm and emphatic

Sec. 10. And sohereas, it is to be apprehended | 'Come you here, sir, to insult common sense' that the canal will reach Cumberland before any Is it possible you possess effrontery sufficient to the Cars of the Portsmouth and Roznoke Rail Read to effective effort will be made to open and com- tell those intelligent gentlemen, (pointing to the arrive at Weldon prior to 1 o'clock, A. M. whereas plete the several rail roads which are to connect jury) that in a vessel situated as the Prince of they uniformly arrive before dark—if therefore a decentral with the coal mines, in which case Wales was—bad weather coming on withal—tention should take place at any point between Balting in almost entirely a Railthere is danger that the State may be compelled | the watch should have devolved on a dumb ani-

The witness looked blank. 'Do you hear, sir?' vociserated the bully. 'I doesn't understand you,' replied the deponent, with perfect composure.

The question was shaped anew. 'I ask you, sir, whether it was fitting to entrust Chesapeake and Obio Canal Company, under the rectors of the said Chesapeake and Obio Canal a vessel exposed to the elements, as well as the | Company, that the companies hereinaster named, | privateers of the enemy, to the vigilance of a

> 'And yet, gentlemen of the jury, the witness and the "Clifton Coal Company," have severally | has had the audacity to assert upon oath that the

> canal the products of their respective mines; brother tar in the rear of the Court. 'By the the same to be completed, ready for use, simul- | Lord Harry, there's no standing that squinting | The judge had already decided that the wit-

Sec. 11. And be it enacted, That if the bonds | ness was bound to state distinctly the description the money by the preceding section anthorised to hereinbefore directed to be issued, cannot be of the watch which had been left upon their

to issue certificates in sums of not less than one | had charge of the deck during the whole of the the said Canal in good condition, and repair for dollar, payable to the holder or order at the four-to-six watch. A better seaman never pad-

Of the company, and the said Company, in such form as the charter, such certificate shall issue until after the canal witness, 'that this super-excellent seaman was and the several laws applicable thereto, make shall be put under contract, as directed by the | not as competent to prevent the lady Elizabeth eighth section of this act; and provided also, that running aboard of the Prince as the boy of whom Persons at a distance, wishing to be informed of the not more than four hundred thousand dollars of you boast?" (Some brat of his own,) added Wad-

The witness not appearing to comprehend the See. 12. And be it enacted, That no part of question, the judge directed Waddy to repeat it.

The mate remained mute. Put it more directly, Mr. Waddy, said the 'Why was not the boy put upon the watch?' Because 'twanted bleeding,' was the acute

'Had you a surgeon in the ship?' At this question, the assumed gravity of the

culty he could refrain from laughing aloud—he, however, answered in the negative. 'No surgeon in the ship?' 'Sartingly not.'

'Then, how, sir, can you take upon yourself to | Linen, Cotton, and Fancy SHIRTS stitute proceedings to foreclose the mortgages, give an opinion upon a medical point? Pray, sir, Worsted, Silk, Linen, and Cotton DRAWERS and every year after the canal shall have reached and enforce the liens, and pledges which the have you made physic, as well as scamanship, a

> 'I can't abide physic—I never took a dose in Then upon what grounds do you assert that

> 'Cause 'twas full o' water.' trayed! My Lud, the jury never can receive such testimony. Who ever heard of resorting to

> depletion in a dropsical case?" 'I say it again,' rejoined the witness, looking Waddy full in the face, 'the buoy wanted tap-

'Never, never was there an instance of grosser prevarieation! Note this gentlemen of the jury-he first swears that the boy wanted bleeding, and now, that he finds himself in error, he

Well, I say so still—bleeding is just as proper a tarm as tapping—take the turns out of that counsel,' said the judge, addressing the witness in a peremptory tone.

'I am not insolent, my lord; but where's the This burst of offended feeling excited in the and scowls of indignation betrayed themselves in

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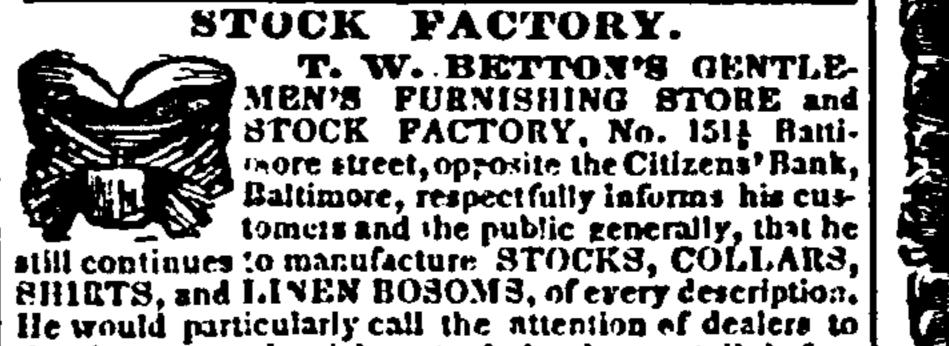
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