

MARYLAND, Sc.

At a Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, begun and held at the City of Annapolis, on Monday the 15th day of June, and ended the 18th day of the same month, in the year of our Lord 1812,

HIS EXCELLENCY

ROBERT BOWIE, ESQUIRE, GOVERNOR,

THE FOLLOWING LAWS WERE ENACTED, TO WIT:

JUNE 1812.

CHAPTER I.

CHAP. 1.

An Act authorising the several Banks in this State to Loan Money to the United States. Lib. TH. No. 3, fol. 337. Passed June 18

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That each of the several banking institutions within the state of Maryland, be and hereby is authorised to loan to the United States, any sum of money not exceeding in amount one third of its capital actually paid in. Authorised to loan not exceeding one third of capital paid in.

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all loans hitherto made by any banking institution of this state, to the United States, are hereby declared to be as legal and valid, to all intents and purposes, as if such loans had been made by and with the consent of the legislature of this state. Former loans to U. S. declared legal.

CHAP. II.

A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act to establish a Bank and incorporate a Company under the name of The Cumberland Bank of Allegany.* Lib. TH. No. 3, fol. 337. Passed June 18 1811, ch. 207.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the name and title of the Cumberland Bank of Allegany, be and the same is hereby changed and altered to that of the Cumberland Bank of *Alleghany*; and the subscribers to said bank, their successors and assigns, shall, by that name and style, be made a corporation and body politic, with all the rights, powers and privileges, as by the original act to which this is a supplement are given. Name and title of bank changed.

CHAP. III.

A Supplement to the act†, entitled, An act to incorporate a Bank to be called The Farmers Bank of Somerset and Worcester. Lib. TH. No. 3, fol. 338. Passed June 18 1811, ch. 193.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the board of directors of the bank, appointed agreeably to the seventh section of the said law, at their first meeting, and at their first meeting after every annual election, shall have power to appoint a president for the said bank, and all other officers requisite Directors authorised to appoint a president and other officers