

## CHAP 287.

ed, pay to the State of Maryland, in addition to the twenty cents on each one hundred dollars, provided for in the preceding section, a bonus of eighteen thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars, in three equal annual payments, the first of said payments to be made within thirty days after the said bank shall have gone into operation, and a further bonus on the capital which the said bank shall at any time have over and above the sum of five hundred thousand dollars, at and after the rate of three dollars and seventy-five cents on each one hundred dollars thereof, and which bonus shall be paid on the first day of January next, after such capital stock shall have been received by the said bank.

Failure to pay  
its notes, &c

SEC. 12. *And be it enacted*, That if at any time the said bank shall neglect or refuse to pay in gold and silver, any of its notes, bills, obligations or any money received on deposit, in violation of the contract, promise or undertaking of said bank; the person or persons entitled to demand and receive such payment, shall respectively receive and recover interest on said bills, notes, obligations and deposits, until the same shall be fully paid and satisfied, at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, from the time of such demand; *Provided*, and so far as the assets of said bank shall be sufficient to pay over and above the sum of its debt and common interest; *and provided*, that this State reserves to itself the power to revoke this charter, if at any time the bank hereby incorporated fails to pay specie for any of its notes.

Extra interest

Proviso

Power of revoca-  
tion

Rights of debtor  
or creditor

SEC. 13. *And be it enacted*, That if the said bank shall neglect or refuse to pay as aforesaid, any of its notes, bills, obligations, or money received on deposit, the holder of such note, bill or obligation, or the person or persons entitled to demand and receive such money, shall be respectively entitled only to demand and receive as creditor, or as debtor to claim and set off, such parts of the sum of its assets, as shall be actually distributable and payable to such creditor or debtor, at the time when such claim or demand may be made.

Distribution of as-  
sets

SEC. 14. *And be it enacted*, That if the said bank shall at any time suspend its payments, the assets which