

null and void, and the said parties are hereby divorced, a CHAP. 241.
vinculo matrimonii.

CHAPTER 241.

An act to provide for the completion of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, to Cumberland, and for the completion of the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road, to the Borough of York, in the State of Pennsylvania. Passed Mar 18, 1835

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That so soon as the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, in a general meeting of the stockholders thereof, shall have approved, assented, and agreed to the several provisions of this act, so far as the same is applicable to the said Company, and shall have communicated to the treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland their acceptance of its terms, under the corporate seal of said Company, and the signatures of their President and Directors; and also, by preparing and depositing with said Treasurer, a covenant and obligation, verified in like manner, pledging the whole of the nett revenues of said Company, and the whole of the water rights, lands, and other property, at any time acquired by the said Company, or the rents or other avails thereof, for the purpose of securing to this State in the manner hereinafter provided, the payment of the interest and principal of the loan which shall be made to said Company in pursuance of this act; the said Treasurer shall be, and he is hereby authorised and directed, to advertise in the cities of Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, and Boston, for at least three successive weeks, in two newspapers published daily in said cities respectively, for proposals to purchase stock of this State, to be redeemable at any time after the year eighteen hundred and seventy, to bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable quarterly on the first day of the months of January, April, July, and October, in each year, at the loan office of this State, in the city of Baltimore; and after the time limited in said advertisements for receiving such proposals shall have elapsed, the said Treasurer may and shall dispose of so much of said stocks as may be necessary for the objects of this act, in reference to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, for the highest price that may have been or shall be offered for the same; *Pro-*

Treasurer on receiving acceptance
Covenant And pledge
Shall advertise
For proposals
And sell so much &c.