

Proviso. chase, exchange, gift or bequest; *provided, however*, that it shall be the duty of said company to cancel any shares of stock to be acquired by them under the authority herein granted, and that nothing in this act shall be construed to authorise a re-issue of such shares.

Power to make dividends. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said Canton Company shall have power to make dividends from time to time of their receipts from sales of lands, or from other sources, among the holders of the shares of their capital stock outstanding at the time of such dividend, irrespective of the stock which the said company may acquire under the authority of this act.

No share of stock owned by Canton Company to be voted. SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That at elections for directors and at meetings of stockholders, no share of stock owned by the Canton Company shall be voted, but that the acquisition of their shares by the said company shall be considered, *pro tanto*, a reduction of their capital stock, which is hereby declared to consist of the number of shares which may from time to time be outstanding in other hands.

Number of directors limited and fixed. SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the third section of the act to which this is a supplement, so far as it requires the election by the stockholders of thirteen directors, is hereby repealed, and the board of directors hereafter to be annually elected is hereby fixed and limited at nine, of whom at least five shall be and continue residents of Baltimore city or county.

In force. SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

CHAPTER 2.

Passed January 20, 1858. AN ACT to change the name of Daniel Hart Taylor to Daniel Taylor Hart.

Name changed. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the name of Daniel Hart Taylor of Anne Arundel county, in the State of