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(BY AUTHORITY.)

AN ACT

To incorporate the Provident Association of Clerks in the Civil Department of the government of the United States, in the District of Columbia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That, from and after the passage of this act, all those persons who are, or shall hereafter become, members of the Provident Association of Clerks, employed in the civil department of the government of the United States, within the District of Columbia, be & they are hereby made a body corporate and politic, by the name and style of, "The Provident Association of Clerks," and shall continue until the third day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and by that name may sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, answer and be answered, defend and be defended, in courts of record, and in any other place whatsoever; and by that name may make, have, and use a common seal, and the same may break, alter, and renew at pleasure; and shall have power to ordain, establish, and put in execution, such by-laws, ordinances and regulation, as shall seem necessary & convenient for the government of said corporation, not being contrary to law nor the constitution thereof, and generally to do and execute all acts necessary or proper for the objects of said incorporation, subject to the rules, regulations, restrictions, limitations, and provisions herein described and declared.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the following rules, regulations, restrictions, limitations, and provisions, shall form and be fundamental articles of the constitution of the said corporation, to wit:

1st. The association shall be composed of clerks, employed in the civil Department of the government of the United States, within the District of Columbia; and its object shall be the benefit of the families of such clerks after their decease, and the funds thereof shall be applied agreeably to the provisions of this act, and for no other use or purpose whatever.

2d. Every such clerk shall, before he is considered a member of the association, sign these articles.

3d. Every member shall pay, on or before the fifth day of January, April, July, and October, respectively, the sum of two dollars and fifty cents.

4th. In addition to the payments mentioned in the preceding article, every member is at liberty to pay such further sums as he may think proper, which payments may form a seperate and special fund, and, on the death of any member by whom such payments shall have been made, his family shall, in addition to the relief provided by other articles of the association, be entitled to an annuity or other benefit out of the special fund, proportionate to the amount of the payments made thereto by such member.

5th. Any member who shall omit to pay his quarterly subscription, within the time prescribed by the third article, shall forfeit and pay for the benefit of the association, the sum of fifty cents, and the like sum for every quarter during which the said subscription shall remain unpaid. And if any member shall omit for more than one year, to pay the subscriptions required by these articles, together with such fines as he may have incurred, he shall thereby forfeit, both for himself and his family, all rights to any of the benefits of the association, together with all the moneys which he may have previously paid, and shall cease to be a member.

6th. Any member ceasing to be a clerk, or removing out of the District of Columbia, shall not thereby be deprived of his membership.

7th. The officers of the association shall consist of a president, six directors, a secretary and treasurer, to be elected by ballot, at a general meeting of the association, on the last Saturday in March, annually: and they shall form a board to be called the president and board of officers. In all elections for officers, the person having the greatest number of votes shall be considered as elected, but when two or more persons have an equal number of votes, the balloting shall be repeated to fill the office or offices, for which no choice shall have been made. If any vacancy shall occur among the officers, a general meeting shall be called to fill the same.

8th. It shall be the duty of the president to preside at all meetings of the association, and of the board of officers. In the absence of the president, his duties shall be performed by the director present, senior on the list.

9th. The secretary shall keep a journal of the proceedings of the association and of the president and board of officers; and he shall perform such other duties as may be assigned to him, either by the association or by the president and board of officers.

10th. The treasurer shall receive and pay all moneys of the association; he shall keep an account of its receipts and disbursements, and shall lay before the association, at its annual meeting in the month of March, a general statement of all its monied transactions, as also a list of those members, who are two quarters or upwards in arrear, which list and accounts shall be read and examined previously to the election of officers.

11th. The quarterly subscriptions, and all other moneys received on account of the association, shall be paid to the treasurer, and shall be by him deposited as soon as may thereafter, in such bank as shall be fixed on by the president & board of officers, and shall from time to time, be vested in the public stocks of the United States or in loans to individuals secured upon real estate, or in stocks of any incorporated banking institution; and the money so deposited shall be drawn out of the bank only on the order of the treasurer, countersigned by the secretary, and approved by the president.

12th. The funds of the association shall be appropriated and paid to the families of deceased members at the following rates, to wit: to the families of those members who may die after the expiration of the first year, and within five years from the time of their admission, twice the amount of the subscription which shall have been paid by such members respectively: to the families of those members who may die within the sixth year, from the time of their admission respectively, the sum of two hundred dollars; to the families of those members who may die within the seventh year, from the time of their admission respectively, the sum of three hundred dollars; to the families of those members who may die within the eighth year, from the time of their admission respectively, the sum of four hundred dollars; to the families of those members who may die within the ninth year, from the time of their admission respectively, the sum of five hundred dollars: to the families of those members who may die within the tenth year, from the time of their admission respectively, the sum of six hundred dollars; to the families, of members who may die within the eleventh year, from the time of their admission respectively, the sum of seven hundred dollars; to the families of those members who may die after the expiration of the eleventh year, from the time of their admission, not less than eight hundred dollars.

13th. In all cases the widow and children of a deceased member shall be deemed his family, and as such be entitled to the relief provided under the foregoing article; but a member, having no wife or children, may adopt any other person or persons as his family, for all the purposes of this association, by giving notice in writing, to the president and board of officers, of the name and residence of such person or persons.

14th. The relief to which the families of deceased members shall be entitled, may be granted either by the payment of a certain sum of money as prescribed by the twelfth article, or by annuity, the terms of which shall be fixed by the claimant, and the president and board of officers.

15th. In addition to the pecuniary relief to which the families of the deceased members are entitled, the members of this association pledge themselves to endeavor to provide for the permanent establishment in society of the persons composing such families.

16th. A general meeting of the association shall be held on the last Saturday in March, annually; but the president and board of officers may call a general meeting whenever they shall think it necessary.

17th. The regular meetings of the president and board of officers, shall be on the first Saturday of January, April, July, and October, annually; but a special meeting of the board of officers may be called by the president, on a requisition in writing from any member thereof.

18th. In all cases where it is not otherwise expressly provided, a majority of the votes of the members of the association, assembled at any meeting, shall prevail.

19th. All legacies or donations made to the association, shall be appropriated to the general purposes thereof.

20th. The president and board of officers shall have power to make by-laws for their government, provided the same be consistent with these articles.

21st. If the association shall be dissolved by any event or in any manner whatsoever, otherwise than by the expiration of the charter, the funds then belonging to it shall, after all claims and demands thereon are satisfied, be divided among the families of deceased members, according to the sums paid in by such members, respectively.

22d. The debts which the said corporation may at any time owe, shall not exceed the value of the property lawfully held & owned by them; and, in case of excess, the directors who may have been assenting thereto, shall be liable for the same in their natural and individual capacities, and an action of debt may, in such case, be brought against them, or any of them, in the proper court, by any creditor or creditors of the said corporation, and may be prosecuted to judgment and execution, any condition, covenant, or agreement to the contrary notwithstanding, and the property of the corporation shall also be liable for and chargeable with the excess.

23d. It shall not be lawful for the said corporation to deal or trade in the manner of a bank, nor issue any note in the nature of a bank note, nor transact any other kind of business, or deal in any other manner or thing than is expressly authorized by the eleventh article of the second section of this act; and any director or directors who shall have assented to any such dealing or trade, shall, on conviction thereof, in the proper court, forfeit and pay the sum of one thousand dollars, one-half to the use of the poor of the City of Washington, and the other half to the use of the person, who may prosecute for the same: *Provided always,* That Congress may, at any time, amend, alter, or annul this act.

H. CLAY, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
DANIEL D. TOMPKINS, Vice President of the United States, and President of the Senate.

43 February 15, 1819.
Approved, JAMES MONROE.

AN ACT

Supplemental to the act, entitled "An act further to amend the charter of the city of Washington.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That any lot, or part of a lot, or other real estate whatsoever in the city of Washington, heretofore sold, or hereafter to be sold, for any tax due to the corporation of the said city, or laid or assessed under the authority of the said corporation, pursuant to the powers vested in it by virtue of the act to which this is a supplement, or of any other act, passed, or to be passed, shall and may be redeemed, so as effectually to reinstate and invest the proprietor, or his legal representatives, in and with all his former estate, as fully and effectually as if such sale had never been made; upon payment, or tender of payment, being made, at any time within two years from the time of such sale by such proprietor, or by his heirs, executors or administrators, or by any other person, in his or their behalf, to the purchaser of such lot or part of a lot, or other real estate, his executors, or administrators, of the money actually paid by him for the same, with the addition of interest, at the rate of ten per centum per annum, to be computed from the time of the payment of the said money by such purchaser; and if such purchaser, his executors, or administrators, have no known place of residence within the District of Columbia, or be not to be found at such place of residence, at the time such redemption is desired to be made; or if such proprietor, his heirs, executors or administrators, or any other person in his behalf, shall offer to pay such money, with interest as aforesaid, and such purchaser, his executors or administrators, shall refuse to accept the same, and give a sufficient receipt and acquittance in writing for the same, by way of redemption as aforesaid, then in every such case, it shall and may be lawful for such proprietor, his heirs, executors, or administrators, or other person in his or their behalf, to make the redemption aforesaid, as effectually by paying the said money with interest as aforesaid, to the clerk of the circuit court for the county of Washington, whose duty it shall be to make report of the same to the said court, immediately, if in session, otherwise on the first day of the session then next ensuing, and to deposite the said money for safe keeping, and pay the same over to such purchaser, or his legal representatives, under the direction of the said court: *Provided,* That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to affect the right of any person now entitled, under any law heretofore enacted, to receive any higher or other premium than an interest of ten per centum per annum as aforesaid, upon the redemption of any real estate, other than vacant and unimproved lots heretofore sold for taxes, nor to affect the vested legal right of such person to hold such real estate clear of such right of redemption, at any time less than two years from the time of the sale, such legal right being vested prior to the passing of this act; and that the said court may require such higher or other premium to be paid by the person redeeming to the purchaser in any case wherein it shall appear to said court that a vested legal right to such premium existed before the passing of this act.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the several collectors of the said taxes, or such other officer of the said corporation as shall be charged with the duty of selling any such real estate for taxes, shall, within ten days after every such sale, transmit to the clerk of the said court an accurate report in writing, certified by the clerk or register of the said corporation, containing a particular description of the property sold, the amount of taxes for the raising of which it has been sold, the names and residence of the person or persons to whom such property belongs, or to whom such taxes have been assessed, and of the purchaser or purchasers, the amount of the purchase money; distinguishing how much has been actually paid, and the clear surplus, if any, coming to the proprietor; which report it shall be the duty of the clerk of the said court forthwith to record among the land records of the said county, and the expense thereof shall be paid by the party who redeems the same.

H. CLAY, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JAS. BARBOUR, President of the Senate pro tempore.

44 February 20, 1819.
Approved, JAMES MONROE.

AN ACT

Providing additional penalties for false entries for the benefit of drawback, or bounty on exportation.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That, in addition to the forfeitures and penalties heretofore provided by law, for making a false entry with the collector of any district, of any goods, wares or merchandise, for the benefit of drawback or bounty on exportation, the person making such false entry shall (except in cases heretofore excepted by law) forfeit and pay to the United States a sum equal to the value of the articles mentioned, or described in such entry; to be sued for, recovered, distributed, and accounted for, in the manner prescribed by the act, entitled "An act to regulate the duties on imports and tonnage," passed on the second day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine.

H. CLAY, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JAS. BARBOUR, President of the Senate pro tempore.

45 February 20, 1819.
Approved, JAMES MONROE.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed, will be sold at Easton, on the public green, for cash, on TUESDAY the 11th day of May next, between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock, one Negro Boy named Richard, thirteen years of age, the property of George Shanahan—taken at the suit of Samuel Harrison, and will be sold to satisfy the debt, interest and costs due thereon. ALLEN BOWIE, Sh'ff.

april 20 4w

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed, at the suit of John Fisher against James Dodson, will be sold on WEDNESDAY the 12th day of May, between the hours of two and three o'clock, on the premises, all the equitable right of, in and to a House and Lot in the town of St. Michaels, and one Cow—sold to satisfy the debt, interest and costs of the aforesaid writ. ALLEN BOWIE, Sh'ff.

april 30 4w

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, at the suit of Thomas Chaplain against John Rochief, will be sold on TUESDAY the 11th day of May, on the Court-House Green, between the hours of two and five o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, to wit: One Lot or parcel of Land, lying and being on the main road leading from Easton to Centreville, and adjoining the Lands of Thomas Robinson and John Craw, two Beds and Furniture, three Tables, one pine Corner Cupboard, and six Chairs—sold to satisfy the debt, interest and costs on the aforesaid writ.

WM. THOMAS, late Sh'ff.

april 20 4w

NOTICE.

THE Farmers of Talbot county, and other citizens friendly to Agriculture, are requested to meet at the Court-House in Easton, on the first Tuesday of May next, at 3 o'clock, to consider the propriety of forming an AGRICULTURAL COUNTY SOCIETY upon the plan lately recommended by the General Society, and, if adopted, to associate themselves accordingly.

Talbot county, april 13 4w

Sheriff's Sale

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed, at the suit of Thomas Cooper against Cloudsberry Kirby, will be sold on TUESDAY the 4th day of May next, on the Court-House Green, between the hours of two and four o'clock in the afternoon, the following property: All the equitable right of said Kirby in and to all that close of Land, being part of a tract called Tilghman Fortune, situate, lying and being in Talbot county, on the Third Haven Creek, at or near the place called Cow Landing, and on the north side of the road leading from said Cow Landing to Easton, that is to say—Beginning at a stone marked C. K. No. 1. on the westward side, and L. H. No. 1. on the eastward side thereof, planted in the line of the road aforesaid, and running by and with Lambert Hopkins's purchase of part of the same tract, purchased of James Booker, north seventeen degrees fifteen minutes ten perches, to a stone marked C. K. No. 2. and L. H. No. 5. for the fifth boundary of the said Lambert Hopkins, then south seventy-two degrees forty-five minutes west, parallel with the road aforesaid, thirty feet to another stone marked C. K. No. 3. on the top thereof, and L. H. No. 4. on the side open to the creek aforesaid, being planted on the edge of the said creek, then by and with said creek to another stone marked C. K. No. 5. then north seventy-two degrees forty-five minutes east, parallel with the road aforesaid, four feet to another stone marked C. K. No. 6. planted by the edge of the creek aforesaid, then south seventeen degrees fifteen minutes east four perches to the road aforesaid, then with the same north seventy-two degrees forty-five minutes east five perches to the beginning, containing one quarter of an acre of Land, more or less, with the improvements thereon—sold to satisfy the aforesaid writ.

april 13 4w A. BOWIE, Sh'ff.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed, at the suit of the State at the instance and for the use of Thomas Cooper against John Ozman, will be sold on TUESDAY the 4th day of May next, on the Court-House Green, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, all the said Ozman's equitable right of, in and to the FARM where he now resides, called Bennett's Neglect, containing ninety acres, more or less—sold to satisfy the debt, interest and costs of the aforesaid writ. A. BOWIE, Sh'ff.

april 13 4w

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, at the suit of Charles Goldsborough against Charles Kirby, will be sold on SATURDAY the 15th day of May, on the Court House Green, between the hours of 12 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, to wit: eight head of Cattle, three head of Horses, fifteen head of Sheep, his Farm where he now lives, adjoining the Lands of Rigby Hopkins, containing one hundred acres, more or less, called Skinner Enlargement—sold to satisfy the debt, interest and costs of the aforesaid writ. W. THOMAS, late Sh'ff.

april 20 4w

Sheriff's Sale.

Will be sold on the premises, on SATURDAY the 15th of May next, the following property of James Ball, taken by me under and in virtue of two writs of fieri facias, issued out of Talbot county court, at the suits of Samuel Harrison and Shadrack Leadenham, and to me directed, viz: one Vessel on the stocks, 24 feet long, 1 Negro Boy for a term of years, about 12 years of age, to serve till he is 25, 1 Cow and 6 Sheep, 2 Beds, Bedsteads and Furniture, 1 Table, half a dozen Chairs, 1 Desk, 1 Cupboard and contents; and his Farm, containing 43 acres, more or less, known by the name of "Up Holland," one Boy named Matt, 1 do. Bob, 1 do. Stephen—taken to satisfy the above claims.

WM. THOMAS, late Sh'ff.

april 20 4w

Land near Easton for sale.

Will be sold, at public sale, upon the premises, on SATURDAY the 15th day of May next, under and in virtue of a decree of the honorable the Judges of Talbot county court, at November term, 1818, in the case of the administrators of Hugh Sherwood, deceased, against Robert Sharp Harwood, and John, James, Henry and William Harwood, the children and heirs of Ann Harwood, deceased, who was the only child and heir of John Dougherty, deceased, *all the Lands and Real Estate of the late John Dougherty, of Talbot county aforesaid, deceased,* for the payment of his debts: These Lands consist of parts of the tracts of Land called "Carter's Sconce," "Baker's Pasture," and "St. Michael's Freshruns," all situate on the public road leading from Easton to Centreville, and near the mill of John Bennett, Esq. and contain by estimation the quantity of two hundred and twenty three acres and one quarter of an acre, more or less. It is deemed unnecessary to give a further description of the Lands as it is presumable every person disposed to purchase, will take a view of them before the day of sale. Robert Sharp Harwood, who occupies the premises, will shew them to any person desirous of viewing them.

Terms of Sale.

The Lands aforesaid will be sold on a credit of *twelve months,* the purchaser or purchasers giving bond, with good and approved security to the subscriber as trustee, for the payment of the purchase money within that time, with interest thereon from the day of sale—upon the payment of the purchase money, and not before, there will be a deed, executed, acknowledged and delivered to the purchaser or purchasers, his, her or their heirs or assigns, conveying all the right, title and estate of the aforesaid John Dougherty in and to the Land and Real Estate so sold to him, her or them, free, clear and discharged from all claim of the defendants or claimants aforesaid, or either of them.

The creditors of the aforesaid John Dougherty, deceased, are requested to take notice, that by the decree aforesaid, they are required to exhibit their claims and vouchers properly authenticated to the Clerk of Talbot county court, within six months from the day of sale aforesaid.

JOHN GOLDSBOROUGH, Trustee for the sale of Real Estate aforesaid.

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Writing Paper

For sale at the Star Office.

Land for sale.

The Commissioners appointed by Caroline county court, to value and make a division of the Lands and Real Estate of JAMES CASSON, late of the county aforesaid, deceased, amongst his several heirs, or otherwise to make sale of the said Estate, agreeably to the act of assembly in such case made and provided; and inasmuch as those heirs to the said Estate, which are of full age, and have a right to elect, to take the said Estate at the valuation, came into court and there refused to make their election to take the same, the court has issued orders to the said Commissioners to sell the said Estate to the highest bidder: Whereupon the said Commissioners now give notice, that the said Estate will be sold to the highest bidder, on the FIRST MONDAY in June next, on the premises, on the following terms, viz. one third part of the purchase money to be paid down on that day; one other third to be paid in twelve months from the day of sale, with interest thereon from the day of sale; and the residue to be paid in eighteen months from the day of sale, with interest thereon from the day of sale.

The said property lies on the main road leading from Hillsborough to Denton, and contains two hundred and ninety-four and one-half acres of Land, with a good portion of timber for the quantity of Land. There is on said Land a good two-story framed Dwelling House, with a Kitchen and other necessary out houses, with Orchards of various kinds of fruit. A further description is deemed unnecessary, as it is presumed any person or persons wishing to purchase, will view the premises previous to the day of sale.

WILLIAM ORRELL,
JAMES WILLSON,
ABRAHAM JUMP,
HENRY D. SELLERS,
SAMUEL TALBOTT,
Commissioners.

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St. Michaels and Baltimore Packet.

THE NEW SLOOP
MARY DODSON,

Has commenced running, and will leave St. Michaels every *Wednesday,* at 9 o'clock A. M.—Returning, leave Baltimore every *Saturday* at the same hour, the remainder of the season.

The sloop MARY DODSON is in every respect a first rate vessel, built under the immediate inspection of the subscriber, who assures those who may favour him with their custom, that nothing shall be wanting on his part to render general satisfaction.

april 20 w WILLIAM DODSON.

Easton & Baltimore Packet.

THE SLOOP
EDWARD LLOYD,
EDWARD AULD, Master,

Will leave Easton-Point on THURSDAY the 13th day of February, at 10 o'clock A.M.—returning, leave Baltimore every SUNDAY at 9 o'clock A. M. and will continue to leave Easton and Baltimore on the above named days during the season.

The EDWARD LLOYD is in complete order for the reception of Passengers and Freight.—She is an elegant vessel, substantially built of the very best materials, copper fastened, and completely finished in the first rate Packet stile for the accommodation of Passengers. She has a large and commodious cabin with twelve births, and two state rooms with eight births, furnished with every convenience.

All orders left with the subscriber, or in his absence at his office at Easton-Point, will be thankfully received and faithfully executed.

EDWARD AULD.

Easton-Point, feb 9

Easton & Baltimore Packet.

THE SLOOP
GENERAL BENSON,
CLEMENT VICKARS, Master,

Will leave Easton-Point on MONDAY the 22d day of February (weather permitting,) at ten o'clock A. M.—Returning, leave Baltimore on THURSDAY the 25th of Feb. at the same hour; and will continue to leave Easton-Point and Baltimore on the above named days during the season.

The Sloop GENERAL BENSON is in fine order, and has excellent accommodations for Passengers.

All orders (accompanied with the cash) left with the subscriber, or in his absence, at his office at Easton-Point, will be duly attended to, and faithfully executed by

The Public's obedient servant,
CLEMENT VICKARS.

Easton-Point, feb 16

Union Tavern.

S. LOWE informs his friends and the public generally, that he has succeeded pretty much in the winding up of his old business, forwhich he declined, and has again commenced in

UNION TAVERN.

Which will be put in complete order immediately. And having determined to conduct the House on a different principle from what it ever yet has been, by his own personal attention, and that of an attentive Bar-keeper, and having his stable and granery furnished with an abundant stock of good provender, a trusty ostler, and attentive honest servants, he invites his former customers and travellers to give him a call and make trial. oct

An Act

To alter the time of holding the County Court in Somerset County.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That from and after the passage of this act, the County Court of Somerset county, shall be held on the fourth Monday in May, and on the fourth Monday of November, in each and every year hereafter; any law to the contrary notwithstanding, and that all causes, pleas, process and proceedings, civil and criminal, now depending in the said County Court, or hereafter to be issued therefrom, shall be continued and returnable to the said days respectively.—Passed Jan. 30, 1819.

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N. PINKNEY.

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