

they may exercise all the corporate powers and privileges heretofore granted to them, which may be necessary and proper for the winding up and settlement of the affairs of the said company.

Present board
to continue to
act.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the present board of directors shall continue to act as such through the period required to wind up and bring the affairs of the company to a close, and in case of the death or resignation hereafter of any among them, the remaining directors shall be authorised to fill the vacancy or vacancies so made.

May collect
all debts due.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That after the said company shall have wound up their affairs by the distribution of the assets in hand or otherwise, they may still proceed in their corporate capacity to collect all debts due to them by suit or otherwise, and in like manner from time to time, do all other corporate acts necessary for the proper application and distribution of said outstanding assets for which purposes only, the said company shall be deemed and taken to be in full existence.

In force.

SEC. 4. *Be it enacted*, That this act shall be and continue in force until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty, and until the end of the next General Assembly, which shall happen thereafter, unless sooner repealed, the power to do which is hereby expressly reserved; *Provided*, that such repeal shall not operate upon contracts and obligations then outstanding and existing.

Proviso.

CHAPTER 78.

Passed March 30, 1853. AN ACT to form a new election district out of the upper portions of the third and fourth election districts of Anne Arundel county.

Commission-
ers appointed

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Richard I. Duvall, Owen Disney, William Shipley, Richard Cromwell, Jr., Philip Pettibone, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to form a new election district out of the upper portions of the third and fourth election districts of Anne Arundel county, and to ascertain and fix the lines of said district; and the said commissioners shall, under their hands and seals, certify