

An Act to increase the Capital Stock of the Bank of North America. *Chap. 227*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

SECT. 1. The president, directors, and company, of the Bank of North America, in Boston, are hereby authorized to increase their present capital stock by an addition thereto of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, in shares of one hundred dollars each, which shall be paid in such instalments as the president and directors may determine: *provided*, that the whole amount shall be paid in on or before the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four. Additional capital \$250,000. Proviso.

SECT. 2. If any of the stockholders of said bank remonstrate against the acceptance of the additional capital herein provided, the said remonstrance shall be made in writing to the cashier of the bank on or before the first day of July next, and if the persons so objecting legally represent one-fourth part of the present capital stock of said corporation, it shall not be entitled to the benefit of this act. Remonstrance to be in writing.

SECT. 3. The additional capital aforesaid, when paid into said bank, shall be subject to the like tax, regulations, restrictions, and provisions, to which the present capital stock of said bank is now subject. Additional capital subject to tax.

SECT. 4. Before said corporation shall proceed to do business on said additional capital, a certificate signed by the president and directors, and attested by the cashier, under oath, that the same has actually been paid into said bank, shall be returned into the office of the secretary of the commonwealth. Certificate to be filed with secretary of state.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. [*Approved by the Governor, April 28, 1853.*]

An Act to increase the Capital Stock of the Eagle Bank. *Chap. 228*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

SECT. 1. The president, directors, and company, of the Eagle Bank, in Boston, are hereby authorized to increase their present capital stock by an addition thereto of two hundred thousand dollars, in shares of one hundred dollars each, which shall be paid in such instalments as the president and directors may determine: *provided*, that the whole amount shall be paid in before the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four. Additional capital \$200,000. Proviso.

Remonstrance to
be in writing

SECT. 2. If any of the stockholders of said bank remonstrate against the acceptance of the additional capital herein provided, the said remonstrance shall be made in writing to the cashier of the bank on or before the first day of July next, and if the persons so objecting, legally represent one-fourth part of the present capital stock of said corporation, it shall not be entitled to the benefit of this act.

Additional
capital subject
to tax.

SECT. 3. The additional stock aforesaid, when paid into said bank, shall be subject to the like tax, regulations, restrictions, and provisions, to which the present capital stock of said bank is now subject.

Certificate to
be filed with
secretary
of state.

SECT. 4. Before said corporation shall proceed to do business on such additional capital, a certificate signed by the president and directors, and attested by the cashier under oath, that the same has actually been paid into said bank, shall be returned into the office of the secretary of the commonwealth.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. [*Approved by the Governor, April 28, 1853.*]

Chap. 229

An Act to increase the Capital Stock of the Bank of Commerce.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

Additional
capital \$500,000.

SECT. 1. The president, directors, and company, of the Bank of Commerce, in Boston, are hereby authorized to increase their present capital stock by an addition thereto of five hundred thousand dollars, in shares of one hundred dollars each, which shall be paid in such instalments as the president and directors may determine: *provided*, that the whole amount shall be paid in before the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

Proviso.

Remonstrance to
be in writing.

SECT. 2. If any of the stockholders of said bank remonstrate against the acceptance of the additional capital herein provided, the said remonstrance shall be made in writing to the cashier of the bank on or before the first day of July next, and if the persons so objecting legally represent one-fourth part of the present capital stock of said corporation, it shall not be entitled to the benefit of this act.

Additional
capital subject
to tax.

SECT. 3. The additional stock aforesaid, when paid into said bank, shall be subject to the like tax, regulations, restrictions, and provisions, to which the present capital stock of said bank is now subject.

Certificate to
be filed with
secretary
of state.

SECT. 4. Before said corporation shall proceed to do business on said additional capital, a certificate signed by the president and directors, and attested by the cashier, under oath,