

the peace of said county, and the parties interested in the exercise of the powers under Section three of this Act; and the said inquisition shall be returned by the sheriff to the Clerk of the Court, which may be named in the warrant of the justice of the peace, and the said courts may confirm said inquisition at any time after the return of said inquisition to the Clerk of said Court, if no sufficient cause to the contrary be shown, but fifteen days after each return shall be allowed in which to file objections to the confirmation of any such inquisition; provided, however, that said corporation shall in all respects be subject to the provisions of Chapter one hundred and twenty-three, of the Acts of the General Assembly of eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and all ordinances passed by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore in conformity therewith, and shall be subject to the control in every respect to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, in so far as its operation may be carried on in the City of Baltimore, and nothing herein contained shall be construed to the contrary.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be lawful for said company to own and hold the stock of any corporation of Pennsylvania or Delaware, chartered for the purpose of the supply, storage or transportation of water, water power or electricity for commercial or manufacturing purposes, and it may acquire or possess by lease, purchase, merger, consolidation or otherwise, the property and franchise of any such corporation in such manner and form, and to such extent as may at present or hereafter be authorized by the laws of the State to which such foreign corporation may belong, and it may enter into any agreement with any such corporation deemed for the common benefit of both and the promotion of the objects and purposes of their incorporation.

May  
hold stock  
of other  
corporations.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on the first day of March, nineteen hundred and one.

Approved April 5, 1900.

#### CHAPTER 249.

AN ACT to provide for fixing license and penalties for hucksters, dealers, brokers or middlemen of unbaled hay, unbaled straw and ear corn by the wagon load in Baltimore City.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That any person or persons desiring to engage in the business of huckstering, hawking or peddling unbaled hay,