

affairs shall be managed and controlled by a board of nine directors, stockholders in said corporation, elected by the majority of all the votes of the stockholders, each share of stock so represented being entitled to one vote, and such board of directors as aforesaid shall elect from among their number a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer; the board of directors from time to time may and shall make, enact, alter and re-enact any and all lawful by-laws, rules and regulations touching the organization of said company, the taking subscriptions to its capital stock, the payment of such subscription, the issue and transfer of certificates of stock and the mode constituting all the affairs of said company, and shall have full power in law and equity to enforce the same.

Shall make by-laws, rules, etc.

Additional powers and privileges.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That said company within the scope of the full enjoyment of the purposes hereinbefore mentioned shall have and enjoy, besides those powers and privileges in this Act particularly enumerated, all other general powers, provisions and privileges conferred by the general incorporation laws of this State upon companies duly incorporated under the same, and shall be subject to the general regulations in such law; provided, as in so far as altered by the provisions of this Act or any by-law or regulations of said company, adopted in lawful pursuance of the grant of powers hereby given.

For right of way, etc.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That said company may enter upon, grade, occupy or use any public road or highway along said route for the purposes aforesaid, so, however, as not to prevent the free and convenient travel over such road by any citizen; and they are further authorized to acquire such right-of-way or the fee of such lands as they may find needful or advantageous to the construction or operation of such railway line or lines by purchase, gift, grant or condemnation in the manner provided by law for acquisition of private property for public use within the limits of Cecil County, Maryland; provided, the consent of the County Commissioners of Cecil County be first had and obtained.

Authority to consolidate with other roads.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted,* That said corporation herein incorporated is hereby authorized to consolidate with such road or roads as it may cross or connect with upon such terms as may be agreed upon between them, or said road may purchase, lease or sell to such connecting roads, or may be leased by them.