

the property and profits of said company to secure the payment thereof; and also to convert the bonds so issued into capital stock of said company, upon such terms as may be agreed upon between the holder or holders of said bonds and said President and Directors.

*Power to Connect with any other Road.*

SEC. 22. *And be it enacted*, That the President and Directors of said company shall have full power and authority to connect the railroad which may be constructed under the provisions of this act, with any other railroad now existing or which may hereafter be constructed, and also to make such contracts and arrangements with the President and Directors of such railroad, for the through transportation of passengers and merchandise, and all property, of what kind soever, in the cars or carriages of either company, as may appear to said President and Directors convenient and advantageous.

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1854—STAT. CHAP. 150.

Passed March 10, 1854.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That so much of the second section of an Act passed January, 1853, chapter 194, entitled an Act to incorporate the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad Company, as requires that 2,500 shares of the capital stock of said company shall be subscribed before the said company is incorporated, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the capital Stock of said company be, and the same shall be, divided into shares of fifty dollars each, and as soon as 1,000 shares of the said capital stock shall be subscribed, the subscribers of the said stock, their successors and assigns, and their associates, by subscription shall be, and they are hereby declared to be incorporated, with like rights, powers and privileges, as are particularly mentioned and prescribed in the said original act, and shall as soon as may be thereafter, proceed to survey and lay out the said road under the direction of such person or persons as they shall appoint.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall take effect from its passage.

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1856—STAT. CHAP. 327.

Passed March 10, 1856.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That so much of the act passed