

tors refuse to call such meeting the number of stockholders proprietors of the greater number of shares shall have power to call a general meeting of the stockholders, giving at least fifteen days notice in said newspapers published in the city of Baltimore, specifying in such notice the object of such meeting.

Powers.

Sec. 13. *And be it enacted*, That a majority in amount of the whole number of stockholders may in their discretion accept and exercise any additional powers and privileges which may at any time be conferred upon this Company, either by amendment of this Act or by any other Act hereafter to be passed.

Banking prohibited.

Sec. 14. *And be it enacted*, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to confer banking privileges on said Company, to issue any note or other evidence of debt to be used as currency.

Witness.

Sec. 15. *And be it enacted*, That in any suit by or against the Company no stockholder, as such, shall be incompetent as a witness unless he be otherwise a party to the suit.

In force and reservation.

Sec. 16. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage, and that the General Assembly reserves the right to alter, amend or repeal the same at pleasure.

Approved March 20, 1868.

CHAPTER 158.

AN ACT to incorporate the Manchester Railroad Company.

Incorporation

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That George Everhart, Jacob Shower, John C. Price, David W. Houck, J. C. Clarke, David Panabaker, Reuben Shaffer, James Root, Isaac Brilheart, John Merryman, Thomas