

holders may be called by order of the Directors, or by stockholders holding one-fifth in amount of the capital stock by like notice as that required for annual meetings, specifying, moreover, the object of the meeting, but no business shall be transacted at such special meeting unless a majority of the stockholders shall attend in person or by proxy.

Locate road.

Sec. 12. *And be it enacted*, That the said Company be, and they are hereby authorized to locate and construct a Railroad from some convenient point at the limits of the city of Baltimore, to be selected by them, to Pikesville, Baltimore County, over the Reisterstown turnpike road, or such other route as they may select, and for such purpose may enter into any contract with such Turnpike Road Company, with the assent of said Turnpike Road Company, which they are hereby authorized to give, and upon such terms as may be agreed upon between said Companies, and not otherwise ; and may enter upon any land necessary for locating, laying out or making the said road, branches, or extensions, or over another route that may be selected, and may procure land, stone, gravel, earth, wood or timber for such use, and obtain the right to the same as hereinafter provided.

Purchase.

Sec. 13. *And be it enacted*, That the President and Directors of said Company may agree with the owner or owners of any lands, earth, gravel, timber, or other materials or any improvements for the construction or repair of the said road or its works, for the purchase or use and occupation of the same, and in case they cannot agree, or if the owner or owners or any of them be a *feme covert*, *non compos mentis*, or out of the State, on application to a Justice of the Peace of Baltimore County he shall issue his warrant under his hand and seal directed to the Sheriff of said county requiring him to summon a levy of twenty men, inhabitants of the county and land owners, and each party shall be entitled to strike from said list the name of four jurors, and in case the owners of said lands, earth, timber or other material so to be condemned shall be a minor, *non compos mentis*, *feme covert*, or non resident of the State and not represented by an agent, attorney or trustee it shall be the duty of the Sheriff to strike from said list the

Condemn.