

ments, and to execute one or more mortgages on such branch to secure such bonds, and the net revenue derived from the said branch shall be applied to the payment of interest and principal on any bonds issued for such purpose, and if stock be issued then, after payment of such bonds and interest, to the payment exclusively of dividends on such stock. ^{Execute mortgages.}

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted,* That the said company is hereby authorized and empowered to execute all such other and further mortgages as may be necessary in order to enable it to avail itself of any assistance extended, or to be extended, to it by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, and generally to do any other acts which may be necessary to accommodate itself to the legislation of the said Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, in respect to aid to be rendered to it, including hereunder the issue of all further bonds or other evidences of indebtedness which may become necessary. ^{Execute further mortgages.}

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted,* That the time heretofore limited for the completion of the main portion of the said railroad be and the same is hereby extended until the first day of March, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and the said branch to the grounds of the Maryland Agricultural Society shall be commenced within the period of two years from the first day of April next, and completed within the period of one year thereafter, otherwise all the provisions herein contained in regard to the same shall become and be void. ^{Time of completion.}

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted,* That the said company may at any time, by means of subscription to its capital stock or otherwise, aid any other company in the construction of its railroad, for the purpose of forming a connection of said last mentioned road with the road owned by said Western Maryland Railroad Company, and said Western Maryland Railroad Company may lease or purchase any part or all of any other railroad, constructed or owned by any other company, or may lease or sell its road to any other company, or make any other contract or agreement, on such terms as may be agreed upon between the contracting parties, or may consolidate with any ^{Aid other company.}