

13. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the president and managers of the said company shall keep just and fair accounts of all monies received by them from the persons appointed to take subscriptions, and from the subscribers to the said undertaking on account of their several subscriptions, of all penalties for delay in the payment thereof, and of the amount of the profits on the shares which may be forfeited as aforesaid, and also of all monies by them expended in the prosecution of their said work, and shall, once at least in every year, submit such accounts to a general meeting of the stockholders, until the said road be completed, and until all the costs, charges and expenses, of effecting the same, shall be fully paid and discharged; and the aggregate amount of such expenses shall be liquidated and ascertained; and if upon such liquidation, or whenever the whole capital stock of the said company shall be nearly expended, it shall be found that the said capital stock will not be sufficient to complete the said road, according to the true intent and meaning of this act, it shall and may be lawful for the said president, managers and company, at a stated or special meeting, to be convened according to the provisions of this act, or their own by-laws, to increase the number of shares to such extent as shall be deemed sufficient to accomplish the work, and to demand and receive the monies subscribed for such shares in like manner, and under the like penalties, as are herein before provided for the original subscriptions, or as shall be provided by their by-laws.

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Accounts of all monies received and expended to be kept by company.

14. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said president, managers and company, shall also keep a just and true account of all and every the monies received by their several and respective collectors of tolls at the several gates or turnpikes on the said road, and shall make and deliver a dividend of the clear profits and incomes thereof, (all contingent costs and charges being first deducted,) among all the subscribers to the said company's stock, and shall, on every first Monday in January and July in every year, publish the half yearly dividend to be made of the said clear profits among the stockholders, and of the time and place when and where the same will be paid, and shall cause the same to be paid accordingly.

Also of monies received by their collector of tolls.

15. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the president and directors shall, at the end of every third year after the choice of the first directors as aforesaid, lay before the general assembly of this state an abstract of their accounts, shewing the whole amount of their capital expended in prosecution of the said work, and of the profits and income arising from said toll for and during the said respective periods, together with an exact account of the costs and charges of keeping the said road in repair, and all other contingent cost and charges, to the end that the clear annual income and profits thereof may be ascertained and known; and if, at the end of three years after the said road shall be completed from the beginning to the end thereof, it shall appear, from the average profits of the said three years, that the said income and profits thereof will not bear a dividend of fifteen *per centum per annum* on the whole capital stock of the said company so expended, then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said president and directors to increase the tolls herein allowed so much upon each and every allowance thereof as will raise the dividends up to fifteen *per centum per annum*, in

Abstract of accounts to be laid before general assembly.