


CHAP 71.  their hands and seals to the justice who issued the warrant, one copy of their said valuation, one other *company* to the president of the said company, and one other copy to the owner or owners of the said materials, if such owner shall reside in the county where the said materials may be, and shall not be under any legal disability to receive the money adjudged, and give sufficient discharges therefor; and the president and managers shall pay, or secure to be paid, the damages so adjudged, before they shall proceed to remove the said materials; and if the owner or owners of such materials shall reside out of the county, or be under any legal disability, then the president and managers shall enter into bond, conditioned for the payment of the damages assessed to the person or persons who may be duly authorised to receive the same, and shall lodge said bond, and a copy of such valuation, in the office of the clerk of the county court, to be by him recorded, and upon such bond, or any office copy thereof, suit or suits may be instituted against the obligors therein named, by any person or persons entitled to receive such damages; and the justice and sheriff shall be entitled to receive the same fees for services under this act as they are allowed in similar cases; and the persons summoned as jurymen to value the damages sustained as aforesaid, shall receive one dollar for every day he shall attend for that purpose, which fees and allowances shall be paid by the president and managers of the company at whose instance the persons may have been summoned.

Bridges to be erected over waters crossing said road

12. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said president, managers and company, shall erect permanent bridges over all the waters crossing the said road, wherever the same shall be found necessary, and shall cause eighteen feet thereof in breadth at least to be made an artificial road, which shall be bedded with stone or gravel, or any other hard substance, well compacted together, a sufficient depth to secure a solid foundation for the same; and the said road shall be faced with gravel, or stone pounded, or other small hard substance, in such manner as to secure a firm, and as near as the materials will reasonably admit an even surface, and so nearly level in its progress as that it shall in no place rise or fall more than will form an angle of four degrees with an horizontal line, and shall for ever hereafter, during the continuance of the said incorporation, maintain and keep the same in good and perfect order and repair.

Road to be inspected by persons appointed by the governor

13. AND BE IT ENACTED, That as soon as the president, managers and company, shall have perfected the said road for any distance from the town of Boonsborough not less than five miles, and so on from time to time any other like distance progressively, they shall give notice thereof to the governor of this state, who shall thereupon forthwith nominate and appoint three skillful and judicious persons to view and examine the same, and report to him in writing, whether the said road is so far extended in a masterly workmanlike manner, according to the true intent and meaning of this act, and if their reports shall be in the affirmative, then the governor shall, by license under his hand and seal of the state, permit and suffer the said president, managers and company, to erect and fix such and so many gates or turnpikes upon and across