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which are allowed by law to the Washington and Baltimore turnpike company; *Provided*, that no toll be demanded or taken from any person passing or repassing to or from any funeral, or from any public worship, on days appointed for that purpose, or from militia-men on days of training, or from voters on days of election, attending the polls, going to or returning from the same.

Proviso

Privileges, rights &c

* Ch. 73

† Dec 1813, ch 122

Corporation may be stockholders

If road is not commenced in two years, state to resume rights, &c

Damages to be estimated

8. AND BE IT ENACTED, That said company shall be and are hereby invested and clothed with all the privileges, rights, immunities and advantages, which are held and possessed by the company incorporated by an act passed at November session, eighteen hundred and twelve*, entitled, An act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from the District of Columbia to the City of Baltimore, and also with all the rights, privileges and immunities, held and possessed by the Cumberland turnpike road company†, to be governed by the same regulations as are therein prescribed, and entitled to the same tolls, and every clause and provision in said acts relative to the road therein proposed to be made, so far as the same are applicable and not inconsistent with this act.

9. AND BE IT ENACTED, That it shall and may be lawful for any corporation or body politic in the United States to become stockholders in the said company.

10. AND BE IT ENACTED, That if the said company do not proceed to carry on said work within two years after the passage of this act, or shall not within five years thereafter complete the said road, it shall be lawful for the legislature of this state to resume the rights, privileges and franchises, by this act granted to the said company.

11. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the county court of Washington county shall appoint five commissioners, who shall estimate the amount of damages sustained by any person or persons by reason of said road passing through his, her, or their lands, or by taking of stone, gravel, or other materials, for the use of said road, in cases where the parties cannot agree, which estimate shall be final in determining such damages.

CHAP. XXXV.

An Act to enable Robert Gorsuch, to complete his Collections in Baltimore County. Lib. TH. No. 6, fol. 257.

Sec 1816, ch 72, and 1817, ch. 29.

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CHAP. XXXVI.

An Act to authorise the Levy Court of Baltimore County to assess and levy on the assessable property of said County a sum of money to build a Bridge over the Great Falls of Gunpowder at Merredith's Ford in said County. Lib. TH. No. 6, fol. 227.

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Recambs

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly of Maryland, by the petition of sundry inhabitants of Baltimore county, that a bridge is much wanting over the Great Falls of Gunpowder, at Merredith's ford; and their prayer appearing reasonable, therefore,

Levy authorised for building under

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland. That the levy court of Baltimore county be and they are hereby authorised and directed, to assess and levy on the assessable property of said county, such sum or sums of money, not exceeding two