

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the purchaser of the property and franchises of the Queen Anne's Railroad Company, heretofore incorporated by the laws of this State and of the State of Delaware, at any judicial sale or sale under decree of any court of this State or of the State of Delaware or of the United States, whether such person be a corporate body or a person or persons who shall be or become incorporated by virtue of the provisions of the laws of this State or of the State of Delaware, shall have and enjoy the same franchises, privileges and exemptions from taxation which are now held and enjoyed by the said Queen Anne's Railroad Company under the several Acts of Assembly of this State having relation thereto, subject, however, to the conditions, limitations and restrictions now attached by law to said privileges and exemptions, and particularly subject to the condition with reference to the purchase of the property of said railroad company by any of the railroad companies now operating railways upon the Eastern Shore of Maryland, or the combination or consolidation of the property of the said Queen Anne's Railroad Company with the property of said other railroad companies referred to.

Pertaining to purchasers of railroad property.

Queen Anne's Railroad Company.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 12, 1904.

CHAPTER 614.

AN ACT making appropriations for the support of the State Government for the fiscal year ending on the thirtieth day of September, 1905.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That for the expenditures in the support of the State Government for the fiscal year, beginning with the first day of October, 1904, and ending with the thirtieth day of September, 1905, the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same are hereby appropriated, that is to say:

Appropriations for the support of the State Government.

FOR STATE OFFICERS.

For the salary of the Governor, four thousand five hundred dollars; for the salary of the Secretary of State, two thousand dollars; for the salary of the Chief Clerk to the Governor, eighteen hundred dollars; for the salary of one clerk to the

State officers and their salaries.