

CHAP. 214.

Plat aforesaid, and after having laid out and marked said road, shall make out a plat of the same, specifying the course and distance, and return the said plat to the President and managers; and the said commissioners, before they proceed to act, shall take the following oath or affirmation: I, A B, do swear (or affirm as the case may be) that I will lay out and mark the Clear Spring and Canal Turnpike road, according to the best of my skill and judgment, agreeably to the purport of an act entitled, An act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from Clear Spring, in Washington county, to the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, and I do further swear (or affirm as the case may be) that I am not interested in any land through which the said road is likely to pass.

Dimensions &c.

Sec. 10. *And be it enacted*, That the said company shall cause the said road to be laid out sixty six feet wide, twenty-one feet whereof in breadth at least shall be made an artificial road, to be composed of stone or gravel, and shall in no place rise or fall more than will form an angle of more than two and a half degrees with a horizontal line.

Time limited

Sec. 11. *And be it enacted*, That if the said company shall not commence making the said road within five years from the passage of this act, and shall not complete the same within five years thereafter, the right to the said road shall revert to the State of Maryland.

Rights and powers vested

Sec. 12. *And be it enacted*, That the said company shall be and they are hereby clothed and invested, as respects the said road, with all and singular the rights, privileges, immunities and advantages not inconsistent with the provisions of this act, that are held and possessed by the several turnpike companies incorporated by an act of Assembly, passed at the November session, eighteen hundred and four, chapter fifty-one, entitled, an act to incorporate companies to make turnpike roads through Baltimore county, and for other purposes, and shall be governed by the same regulations, and be subject to the same fines, penalties and restrictions, as the said companies now are, when the same are not inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

Toll gates authorized

Sec. 13. *And be it enacted*, That the said company having perfected the said road according to the intention of this act, it shall and may be lawful for them to erect one gate, any where on the said road: *Provided*, the same be not within half a mile of the said town of Clear Spring, and to appoint such and so many toll gatherers as they shall think proper, who are hereby authorised and empowered