tion of the officers and committee hereinbefore named, who shall serve until the annual election hereinbefore provided for, and until their successors are elected.

In force

SEC. 9. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved, April 11th, 1874.

CHAPTER 264.

AN ACT to repeal section two of the act of January session, eighteen hundred and seventy, chapter three hundred and eighty-seven, entitled an act to incorporate the Washington, Colesville and Ashton Turnpike Company, and to re-enact the same as amended.

Repealed and re-enacted. SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That section two of the act of January session, eighteen hundred and seventy, chapter three hundred and eighty-seven, entitled an act to incorporate the Washington, Colesville and Ashton Turnpike Company, be and the same is hereby repealed, amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Subscribers

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the subscribers to said stock, their successors and assigns, shall be and they are hereby declared to be incorporated into a Company by the name of the Washington, Colesville and Ashton Turnpike Company, and by that name, shall be capable in law of purchasing and holding estates, real, personal and mixed, and of borrowing money not exceeding the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, upon bonds or mortgages, on the property of the company, and shall be capable in law of selling, leasing and conveying estates, real, personal and mixed, so far as shall be necessary for the purpose hereinafter mentioned, and no further, and shall have succession and by said corporate name may sue and be sued, and may have and use a common seal, which