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Sec. 16. And be it enacted, That the said company shall cause mile-stones to be placed at the side of the said road, CHAP. 129. beginning at the distance of one mile from the city of Frederick, and extending thence to the termination of the said Mile-stones. road, whereon shall be marked, in plain legible characters, the number of miles which each stone is distant from the city of Frederick; and if any person shall destroy wilfully the said mile-stones, or deface the same, or shall, without the permission of the acting superintendants of the said road, throw out upon the road, and suffer to remain for the space of one day, any mould, dirt, weeds, or rubbish of any kind, such person, being convicted thereof by the evidence of one or more credible and disinterested witnesses, before any justice of the peace of the county, he or she shall be judged by the said justices to pay a fine not exceeding ten dollars, to be recovered with costs, which fine, when recovered, shall be paid to the treasurer of the company for the use of the said company.

Sec. 17. And be it enacted, That all wagoners and dri- Wagons, &c. vers of carriages of all kinds, whether of burden or plea- to keep rightsure, using the said road, shall, except when passing by a hand side of carriage of slower draught, keep their horses and carriages road, &c. on the right hand of the said road, in the passing direction, leaving the other side of the road free and clear for other carriages to pass and repass; and if any driver shall offend against this provision, he shall forfeit and pay not exceeding ten dollars to any person who shall be obstructed in his passage and will warrant for the same, to be recovered, with costs, before any justice, in the same manner as debts under ten pounds are recoverable, and all fines and forfeitures imposed by this act not exceeding ten pounds, shall be recovered before any magistrate in the same manner as debts under ten pounds are recoverable.

Sec. 18. And be it enacted. That the president and Dividends. managers of said company shall keep a just and true account of all monies received by their several and respective tollgatherers, at their several and respective gates on said road, which account shall be upon oath, or affirmation, as the case may be, when required, and shall make a dividend of the clear profits and incomes thereof, not exceeding ten per cent in any year, among the stockholders, which dividend shall be declared half yearly in the months of January and July, and published and paid accordingly.

Sec. 19. And be it enacted, That it shall not be lawful for said company to ask, demand or receive, of or from any empt from toll person or persons, within the lines of whose lands any gates may be erected, any toll for passing from one part to another part of said land along said road.

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