stockholders, dividends of so much of the profits realized by the company as they shall deem expedient; after reserving such sum as they shall decide to be reasonable to meet the expenses of repairs, or the purchase of any articles necessary for the use of said company: and semi-annually, and also at the paying each divi- Exhibit dend of profits, a general statement of the affairs of the company shall be prepared by the directors, and kept open for the inspection of stockholders, for the space of ten days after the same shall have been presented to them.

Sec. 8. And be it enacted, That this act of incorpo- perpetual ration, be, and the same is hereby made perpetual; Provided, nevertheless, that the legislature hereby re- Right reserved serves to itself the power of altering, amending, or repealing any of its provisions at any time after the expiration of the year eighteen hundred and fifty-six.

CHAPTER 245.

An additional supplement to the act, entitled, an act to raised Mar. 23, 1886 incorporate the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, Time extended for completing road That the time allowed by the act, to which this is a supplement, for the completion of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, be and the same is hereby extended for the time of five years beyond the period in the said act limited.

CHAPTER 246.

An act to incorporate the Baltimore and Peach Bottom Passed Mary 22,1836 Rail Road Company.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of commissioners Maryland, That William Nelson, Mahlon H. West, Isaac Rogers, James Montgomery, Frederick T. Amos, John Spear Smith, James Howard, George Winchester, James McConkey, Thomas B. Coleman, John T.