

terest from the twenty-fifth day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

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SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, For the purpose of so May grant certifi-  
cates of debt  
founding their said debts, it shall be lawful for the said  
Chesapeake and Delaware Canal Company to grant  
and issue to each and every of its said creditors a cer-  
tificate of debt, for the amount due to such creditor;  
which amount shall be ascertained in each case by How ascertained  
adding to the principal sum, all arrearages of interest  
now due, and all interest to become due, at the rate  
of six per cent per annum, up to the first day of July,  
eighteen hundred and thirty-six; except in the case of  
said John Randel, Junior, whose certificate of debt, or J. Randel's claim  
specified  
the aggregate of whose certificates, if he shall prefer  
to have the amount subdivided into several certificates,  
shall amount to the sum of two hundred and twenty-  
nine thousand eight hundred and twenty dollars, which  
shall be taken to be the amount due to him, as of the  
said first day of July, eighteen hundred and thirty six,  
after deducting all claims of the company against him;  
and shall be received by him or his assigns, in certifi- If accepted, to be  
final  
cates as aforesaid, in lieu of all demands against the  
said company, and shall be considered as a final and  
absolute adjustment of all pending suits, causes of ac-  
tion and matters in variance between the said John  
Randel, Junior, and the said Chesapeake and Dela-  
ware Canal Company, or between him and the direc-  
tors, agents, committees, creditors, garnishees or any  
of them of said company, and every other person hav-  
ing acted in behalf of said company.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the said certificates Certificates shall be  
valid  
and every of them, shall at all times be good and valid  
evidences of debt against the said company, and shall  
be deemed and taken so to be in all courts of justice in  
this commonwealth and elsewhere, as fully as if the  
debts had been created, and the certificates provided  
for in the original [chapter] of the said company; and Bear interest  
each of the said certificates, and the whole of the  
said funded debt or debts which they represent,  
shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent per  
annum, payable at the office of the said company in  
Philadelphia, on the first days of January and July,