

town, are hereby authorized and empowered to enter into and contract with any body corporate or joint stock water company that may hereafter be formed in Taneytown, for the supplying of water and to bind the said corporate authorities of said Taneytown to pay annually to said body corporate or joint stock water company as aforesaid for supplying water to said town, and the placing of fire plugs or hydrants therein, the interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, upon the cost of furnishing water to said town and the placing of fire plugs or hydrants therein for the extinguishment of fires and the protection of property in said town; provided, however, said interest shall not exceed the amount realized from a tax of ten cents upon every hundred dollars of assessable property within the corporate limits of said Taneytown, and provided further that said annual payments shall not begin until the said town has been supplied with water.

1892, ch. 516, sec. 2.

434. In order to enable the Burgess and Commissioners of Taneytown to carry out the provisions of this Act the said Burgess and Commissioners are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to levy annually upon the taxable property within the corporate limits of Taneytown in addition to the corporation taxes now or that may hereafter be allowed by law, a water tax to be levied and collected the same as other corporation taxes are levied and collected, and that the said taxes levied and collected for a water tax shall be kept as a separate fund and shall not be used for any other purpose than to pay said body corporate or joint stock water company the interest on the cost of supplying said town with water and the erection of fire plugs or hydrants as hereinbefore provided; and the Burgess and Commissioners of Taneytown shall levy annually and collect for this purpose a water tax not exceeding ten cents upon every hundred dollars of assessable property within the corporate limits of Taneytown.*

UNION BRIDGE.†

INCORPORATION.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 7, sec. 167. 1880, ch. 434. 1900, ch. 206, sec. 167.

435. The inhabitants of Union Bridge, in Carroll County, are created a corporation, by the name of "The Mayor and Common Council of Union Bridge," and by that name shall have perpetual succession, may sue and be sued; may have and use a common seal, and possess such other incidents and powers as attach to a municipal corporation, and may purchase and hold real, personal and mixed property for the benefit of said corporation; provided, however, that the Mayor and Common Council shall not purchase or acquire any real estate, unless the said Mayor and Council shall

*Ch. 516, 1892, was adopted by the voters of the town at the election May 2, 1892.

†Ch. 42, 1924, authorized Union Bridge to issue \$7,000 of refunding and improvement bonds. Ch. 3, 1927, authorized \$20,000 of similar bonds.