

the supplement thereto, passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, chapter three hundred and forty-one, [Sup. 268,] or upon any assessment hereafter made in pursuance of law, of the real and personal property within the taxable limits of said corporation, to pay all expenses and debts of said corporation and all obligations incurred by said corporation in pursuance of the power vested by the charter or any supplement thereto.

Vagrants.

169. In case any persons be committed to jail for non-payment of the fine imposed for vagrancy, it shall and may be lawful for the mayor of Frederick city to take such persons out of jail during the time for which they may be committed, and compel them to work during the time for which they may be committed at such labor as shall be required by the mayor of Frederick.

In force and approved March 3, 1868.

#### FREDERICK AND PENNSYLVANIA LINE RAIL ROAD COMPANY.

By the act of 1868, c. 423, the mayor, aldermen and common council of Frederick, are authorized and empowered to subscribe to the capital stock of the Frederick and Pennsylvania Line Rail Road Company, the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and in the discretion of said Mayor, aldermen and common council, any further sum not exceeding, in the aggregate, the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars; and in case a less sum than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars may be subscribed to the said capital stock, then the said mayor, aldermen and common council are authorized to endorse the bonds of said company to any amount which, with the amount subscribed to said capital stock, shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, which endorsement shall be secured in such manner and on such terms as may be agreed upon between the said mayor, aldermen and common council, and the said rail road company.

That the said mayor, aldermen and common council, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds of the corporation of Frederick, bearing interest not exceeding six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually for such amount, from time to time, as may be required to pay the amounts which may be subscribed to said capital stock, which bonds shall not be subject to taxation for county or corporation taxes; and to levy on the assessable property within the limits of said municipal corporation, using as the basis of said levy the assessment of the real and personal property within the limits of said municipal corporation, made under the act of eighteen hundred and sixty-six, chapter one hundred and fifty-seven, and the supplement thereto, passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, chapter three hundred and forty-one, or any assessment hereafter made according to law, such amount of taxes as may be required to pay the interest on said bonds and the principal debt, should the same become neces-