CHAPTER 87.

AN ACT to authorize the Eastern Shore Railroad Company, as reorganized, to acquire by purchase the Eastern Shore Railroad, and all the rolling stock, property, furniture, effects, franchises and corporate rights of the Eastern Shore Railroad Company, and to extend to the said Eastern Shore Railroad Company, as reorganized after such purchase, all the rights, privileges and franchises contained in the charter of the Eastern Shore Railroad Company, and to amend the charter of the Eastern Shore Railroad Company, as reorganized, and to repeal all Acts of Assembly inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

WHEREAS by a decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the district of Maryland, sitting in equity, and passed in a cause in the said court wherein the Harlan and Hollingsworth Company and others are complainants, and the Eastern Shore Railroad Company and others are defendants, bearing date the tenth day of December, eighteen hundred and seventy eight, a certain Samuel M. Felton, of the State of Pennsylvania, was appointed a trustee and authorized and empowered to sell the premises mortgaged by the said Eastern Shore Railroad Company, to wit: the Eastern Shore Railroad and all the rolling stock, property, furniture, effects and franchises of the said Eastern Shore Railroad Company, for the payment of the second mortgage bonds of the said Eastern Shore Railroad Company, mentioned in the said decree, and the interest thereon which had accrued and might accrue thereon until the day of sale; and

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WHEREAS, in pursuance of the said decree, the said Samuel M. Felton, trustee, after complying with all the requirements of the said decree, and after giving the notice therein required of time, place, manner and terms of sale, did, on the nineteenth day of Feb-