

Proviso. after have by law of the District of Columbia respecting its own line of railway in the said District ; provided, however, that any mortgage, or deed of trust, which may at any time be executed by the said The Rock Creek Railway Company, of the District of Columbia, shall, so far as the same shall, or may effect, or be intended to affect the said line of railway in the said Montgomery County, be recorded in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for said Montgomery County.

Effective. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved February 26th, 1892.

CHAPTER 35.

AN ACT to make valid and amend the charter of the Port Deposit Electric Light Company of Cecil County.

Incor-
poration. WHEREAS, It satisfactorily appears to this General Assembly that Jacob Tome, Robert E. McClanahan, Robert C. Hopkins, Enoch McCullough and Samuel C. Rowland, all of them citizens of the United States, and of the State of Maryland, and all residents in Cecil County, in said State, did on the fourteenth day of June, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, execute and acknowledge a certificate of incorporation, in writing, in accordance with the provisions of section forty-two, of article twenty-three, of the Code of Public General Laws, thereby intending to create a corporation of the State of Maryland, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining in Port Deposit, in said county, appliances for the introduction into said town of electric light, with the corporate name of the Port Deposit Electric Light Company of Cecil County, which said certificate of incorporation was approved by the judge of the Circuit Court for Cecil County, and duly recorded, as required by law.

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Light Co. AND WHEREAS, said company proceeded to acquire property, to put up buildings and machinery, and poles, fitted with wires to carry out said purpose, but doubts have been expressed whether any Electric Light Company, formed under the provisions of the Code of Public General Laws of this State has authority to carry on its operations, except in the counties of Kent, Talbot, Somerset and Carroll, until said Company has been made valid by the Legislature, therefore,

Preamble.