

road running from Snow Hill to Berlin, in any manner, at any time and in whatever place they, in their judgment, may think right and proper and to the best interest of the county.

To invest proceeds of sale.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said county commissioners shall invest in some safe productive manner, the proceeds of the sale, and the interest arising from such investment shall be paid annually to the order of the trustees of the poor, to be applied to the support of the poor of said county.

In force.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

CHAPTER 153.

Passed May 5, 1853.

AN ACT to incorporate the Youghogany Valley Rail Road Company.

Commissioners appointed.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That C. W. White, Wm. D. Burton, Stephen Thayer, William Frey, senior, John Fike, senior, John Slicer, Ralph Thayer, John W. Lynn, Charles B. Fetter, John Ensley, Francis Thomas, Patrick Hammill, William Shaw, Truman Fairall, Truman West, and Henry A. Banon, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, under the direction of whom subscriptions may be received to the capital stock of the Youghogany Valley rail road company, for the purpose of surveying, locating and building a rail road from the Pennsylvania State line, at such point as it may conveniently connect with the Pittsburgh and Connellsville rail road, by the most practicable route up Bear creek, to the Baltimore and Ohio rail road, at some point between Oakland and Westernport, and may connect with any other rail road or slack water improvement at or near Westernport, and that the said commissioners, or a majority of them, may cause books to be opened at such times and places as they may direct, for the purpose of receiving subscriptions to the said capital stock of said company, after having given such notice of the times and places of opening the same, as they may deem proper, and if such a subscription to the capital stock of said company, as is necessary for its incorporation be not previously obtained, the said books may be opened from time to time, at the