

and directed to levy upon the assessable property of said county, such additional sum as will divide to each school district, two hundred and fifty dollars, independent of the State fund.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall not be lawful, after the expiration of the present year, for the taxable inhabitants of any primary school district, in Anne Arundel county, to levy any tax upon the assessable property of said district for the support of said schools; and all laws or parts of laws which authorise the imposition of such tax be, and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as to apply to the city of Annapolis, now known and designated as primary school district number thirty-eight of said county.

CHAPTER 256.

AN ACT to incorporate the Howard Rail Road Company.

Passed May
16, 1853.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Joseph W. Tyson, Wesley Linthicum, William Welling, Charles R. Stewart, Peter Gorham, Charles Carroll, Isaac C. Anderson, Gustavus Warfield, W. W. Watkins, Charles G. Hanson, James Clark, James Teakle, Perry Gaither, Adam C. Warner, Upton Dorsey, of Howard county; and Allen Bowie Davis and E. J. Hall, of Montgomery county; James Iglehart, Captain Thomas Franklin, George Wells, John Walton, Doctor John Ridout, Jonathan Pinkney, John Johnson, Dennis Claude and Captain J. Wilmot, of Anne Arundel county, be, and are hereby appointed commissioners, under the direction of a majority of whom, subscriptions may be received to the capital stock of the Howard rail road company, hereby incorporated, and they 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 capital stock of said company, to which any person, corporation or association of individuals, may subscribe, after giving such notice of the times and places of opening the same as they deem proper, and, that upon the first opening of said books, they shall

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