

livered to them, all deeds, transfers, gifts, grants, conveyances, covenants, contracts, agreements, and bargains whatsoever, necessary for the purposes and objects of the said company, and may have and use a common seal, which they shall have power to alter or renews at pleasure, and generally to do every other act, or thing necessary to carry into effect the provisions, objects, and purposes of this act, and not inconsistent with the laws of this State, or the United States.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the purposes and objects for which the Worcester rail road company aforesaid, is incorporated, are the locating, making, constructing, and repairing a rail road, from some point on the Virginia State line, to run through Worcester county to the Delaware State line, to connect with any road or roads, which may hereafter be constructed, running through the counties of Accomack and Northampton, in the State of Virginia, and Sussex county in the State of Delaware, the putting cars, machinery and motive power on the same, for the purposes of conveying freight and passengers, and charging tolls thereon, as hereinafter mentioned and intended, and the said company shall have full power and authority to construct a lateral branch or branches of rail road or plank road to connect with the Eastern Shore rail road at some convenient point or points on the said Eastern Shore rail road; *Provided*, that the said Eastern Shore rail road, shall hereafter be constructed or to connect at some point with the Wicomico river.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the said Peter Whaley, Littleton R. Bishop, John C. Derickson, Zadoc P. Henry, Dennard Williams, Ara Spence, George Bishop, Ebenezer Hearn, James M. Fooks, Charles Parker, Lemuel Showell, Cyrus L. Williams, John Powell, William E. Timmonds, James F. Bravard, William Tingle, and William U. Purnell, or such one or more of them as the others, or a majority of them, shall for that purpose authorise and appoint may take and receive subscriptions to the capital stock, of said company, in such manner and on such terms as they or a majority of them shall choose or designate, in shares of twenty-five dollars each, to such amount as they may deem necessary, not exceeding twenty thousand shares, and any person or persons, who shall become holders or entitled to one or more shares of said stock, shall thereupon, become a member of the Worcester rail road company hereby incorporated, and as such, shall be entitled to one vote in person or by proxy, at all meetings of the stockholders for each share of stock

Object of corporation.

Authority to receive subscriptions.