

nominate and appoint three skilful and judicious persons to review and examine the same, and report to him, in writing, whether the said road is so far executed in a masterly and workmanlike manner, according to the true intent and meaning of this act, and if their reports shall be in the affirmative, then the Governor shall, by license under his hand and seal of the State, permit the said president, managers and company, to erect such and so many gates upon and across the said road, as will be necessary and sufficient to collect the tolls and duties hereinafter granted to said company, from all persons travelling on the same with horses, cattle, wagons, carts and carriages.

Power to erect bridges. **SEC. 12.** *And be it enacted,* That the said company shall have power to erect bridges over all waters crossing the said road, and may enter upon and take all land and materials necessary for the construction of said bridges; *Provided nevertheless,* that the president and managers of said company may agree with the owners for the purchase of the same, and in case they shall not be able to agree with the owners, or if the owner should be a feme covert, non compos mentis, or under age, the president shall then proceed in the manner directed by the ninth section of this act, and all appropriations of lands or materials for the construction of said bridges, shall be subject to the same restrictions specified in the ninth section.

Toll gatherers. **SEC. 13.** *And be it enacted,* That the said company, having perfected the said road aforesaid, and the same being examined, approved and licensed in manner aforesaid, it shall and may be lawful for them to appoint such and so many toll gatherers as they shall think proper, to collect and receive of or from any person or persons using said road, the tolls and rates per mile, the same to be regulated by the president and managers of the company; *Provided,* that the rates and tolls so regulated shall not exceed those of other roads of like nature in this State, and to stop any person riding, leading, or driving any horses, mules, oxen, coaches, cart, wagon, wain or sled; cattle, hogs, sheep, sulky, chaise, phaeton, or other carriage of pleasure or burden, from passing through the said gates, until the tolls for the said passage shall have been paid; *Provided,* that no toll gate shall be erected within one mile from the taxable limits of Woodsboro', or any town or village through which said road may pass.

Rights and privileges. **SEC. 14.** *And be it enacted,* That the said company shall be, and is hereby clothed and invested as respects the said road, with all and singular, the rights, privi-