

Chapter 315.**AN ACT to incorporate the Deer Creek Railroad Company.**

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Francis T. King, Stephenson Archer, James D. Walters, Henry W. Archer, James Lee, Thomas A. Hays, David Harlan, John H. Price, John Carroll Walsh, Johns Hopkins Janney, Silas Silner, Benjamin Silner, Jr., James Crawford Neilson, Thomas King and Christopher Wilson, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, under the direction of whom subscriptions may be received to the capital stock of the Deer Creek Railroad 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 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 any of said commissioners shall die or refuse to act during the continuance of the duties devolved on them by this act, others may be appointed in their stead by the remaining commissioners, or a majority of them.

Commissioners appointed.

Receive subscriptions.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the capital stock of the Deer Creek Railroad Company shall be four hundred thousand dollars, in shares of one hundred dollars each, which said capital stock may be increased at the discretion of the said commissioners or directors, to be elected as hereinafter provided, as they may deem necessary and proper; and as soon as five hundred shares of the said capital stock shall be subscribed, the subscribers of said stock, their successors and assigns, shall be and they are hereby declared to be incorporated into a company by the name of the Deer Creek Railroad Company, and by that name shall be capable in law of purchasing, holding, selling, mortgaging, leasing and conveying estates, real, personal and mixed, so far as the same shall be necessary for the purposes hereinafter mentioned, and no further; and shall have perpetual succession by said corporation and name, and may, by said name, sue and be sued,

Capital stock.

Declared incorporated.