

seventy-six," entitled "An act to establish a free bridge over the Patapsco river," at or near the present site of Light street bridge, and to provide for free travel from Anne Arundel county to Baltimore city, and to prohibit fast driving over and across the draw of Light street bridge.

Free bridge.

SEC. 2. *Be it enacted*, That for the safety of passengers and vehicles passing over and along the draw of Light street bridge, as well as for the protection and security of said draw, there shall be a penalty of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars for any person or persons to drive or lead their horses, mules or any other kind of beast, whether of pleasure or burden, over and across said draw, at a gait faster than a walk; one-half of the fine to be imposed under this law to go to the informer, and the other half to the owner of said bridge; and the said person or persons so offending shall be tried before any justice of the peace of Anne Arundel or Baltimore counties, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined as aforesaid, and upon failure to pay said fine shall be imprisoned in the jail of said county for the period of thirty days.

Gait to cross draw.

Fine—how disposed of.

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

Effective.

Approved May 3, 1882.

Chapter 368.

AN ACT to authorize the County Commissioners of Montgomery county to subscribe to the Stock of Turnpike Companies in said county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That whenever three-fifths of the capital stock of any turnpike company in Montgomery county, chartered and organized since January the first, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, or to be hereafter organized, shall have been subscribed for and taken by responsible *bona fide* stockholders, the county commissioners of said county are hereby authorized and empowered to subscribe for such

Authorized to subscribe.