exchange due from the said companies to the first day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-five. and to settle with the said companies upon the terms of said act of Assembly of last session, except as to the said arrearages; provided, that in case of any default in the payment of the said interest on the renewed bonds in accordance with the said act of Assembly of the last session, the said arrearages shall be revived and again become due and payable as fully and completely as if this act had never been passed.

Proviso.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That hereafter on all merchandize passing to or from Columbia through the outlet Lock at Bell's Ferry and loaded in or to be discharged at Port Deposit, the tolls shall be one-twelfth less than the tolls charged on articles of the same class, from Columbia to Havre de Grace; and at all future elections for Managers, six of the number shall be residents of and chosen managers. from Maryland, and the principal office of the said companies shall be located in the city of Baltimore, as heretofore.

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Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That the said companies shall, on completion of the enlargement of the canals with which they are in connection, make their canal of a corresponding depth.

hereby repealed.

Depth.

Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That so much of the provisions of the act of eighteen hundred and sixty-five, chapter one hundred and ninety-six, page three hundred and seventy-three, as is inconsistent with the provisions of this act be, and the same is

Repealed.

In force. Sec. 5.- And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.