

Additional  
Directors.

Baltimore Short-Line Railroad Company be and it is hereby authorized to elect two members of the Board of Directors of the said company in addition to the seven directors now authorized by the act of the General Assembly of Maryland, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, chapter two hundred and forty-two, either at the annual meeting of the stockholders of said company, or at a special meeting of the stockholders to be called for the purpose.

Approved March 10, 1886.

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CHAPTER 6.

AN ACT to prevent the pollution of streams, wells, springs and other sources of water supply used for drinking and domestic purposes in this State.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That if any person or persons, shall put, or cause to be placed, any dead animal, or part of the carcass of any dead animal, or any decayed or filthy animal or vegetable matter, into any stream, or the tributary of any stream, well, spring, reservoir, pond or other source from which water or ice is drawn, taken or used for drinking or domestic purposes, or shall knowingly suffer any sewage, washings or other offensive matters from any privy, cess-pool, factory, trades' establishment, slaughter-house, tannery or other place, over which he or they shall have control, to flow therein, or into any drain or pipe communicating therewith, whereby the water supply of any city, town, village, community or household is fouled or rendered unfit for drinking and domestic purposes, he or they shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction thereof in a Court of competent juris-

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