

CHAPTER 162.

AN ACT to ratify and confirm certain privileges heretofore granted by the County Commissioners for Baltimore county unto the Baltimore, Middle River and Sparrows Point Railroad, and to grant other privileges to said railroad, for the use of other roads and streets in Baltimore county.

WHEREAS, The Baltimore, Middle River and Sparrows Point Railroad has under the authority of the County Commissioners for Baltimore county, constructed and built its railroad tracks upon certain streets and roads in Baltimore county, and is about to further construct and build its railroad tracks upon other streets and roads in Baltimore county, with and under the authority of the said County Commissioners for Baltimore county. Preamble.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the authority heretofore granted by the County Commissioners for Baltimore county to the Baltimore, Middle River and Sparrows Point Railroad, to construct its tracks upon certain streets and roads in said county, be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed. Grant of power confirmed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted.* That the Baltimore, Middle River and Sparrows Point Railroad, be and it is hereby authorized to use other streets and roads in the twelfth election district of Baltimore county, for the purpose of laying its railroad tracks thereon; provided, however, before any such use shall be made by said railroad of such other streets and roads, permission for such use shall first be obtained from the County Commissioners for Baltimore county; and provided further, that when such use shall be made of county roads there shall be left at least twenty feet of such road for the free and unobstructed use of the public. May use streets and roads.

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

Approved April 2d, 1896.

CHAPTER 163.

AN ACT to add a new Section to Article 17 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Clerks of Courts," sub-title "Clerk of the Court of Appeals," to come in after