ing four cents per mile for each passenger; and it shall not be lawful for any person or persons or for any corporate body to travel upon or use the roads of the said company, or to transport any persons, merchandise or property of any description, upon or along the road or roads of the said company, without the license or permission of the president and directors of the said company.

Bell to be rung.

SEC. 17. A bell shall be placed on each locomotive-engine which shall be used by said company, which bell shall be rung at a distance of at least one hundred rods from the place where the railroad shall cross any traveled public road or street, and kept ringing until it shall have crossed such road or street, or a steam whistle shall be attached to each locomotive-engine used upon said road, and be sounded at least one hundred rods from the place where the railroad shall cross any such road or street, and shall be sounded at intervals until it shall have crossed such road or street, and a bell or gong shall be placed on each electric motor used on said road, which shall be sounded at least one hundred (100) yards from the place where the said railroad shall cross any such road or street, and shall be sounded at intervals until it shall have crossed such road or street, under the penalty of thirty dollars for the neglect of the provisions of this section, to be sued for, before any justice of the peace of the election district or ward in which such neglect may happen, in ten days after such penalty was incurred, one-half thereof to go to the informer and the other half to go to the county or city in which such neglect may happen; and such company shall also be liable for all damages which shall be sustained by any person by reason of such neglect; and all penalties imposed by this act may be sued for in the name of the State, and if such penalty shall be for a sum not exceeding \$100. then such suit may be brought before a justice of the peace, and may be commenced by serving a summons on any director. agent or engineer of said company.

Dividends.

SEC. 18. The board of directors shall, once in each year, or semi-annually, declare and make such dividends as they may deem proper of the net profits arising from the resources of the said company, first deducting the current and probable contingent expenses, and shall apportion the same among the stock. holders of said company in proportion to their respective shares.

SEC. 19. In case any person shall wilfully obstruct, injure, property of impair or destroy any part of said road, or any of the works, buildings, carriages, vehicles, engines, or machines of said com-