

corporation, whose business is that of a common carrier, to stop its or their vehicles, cars or engines upon any of the roadbeds or crossings of any of the public roads in Baltimore county, over or across which the said vehicles, cars or engines may run for a longer period of time than is necessary to take on or let off its or their passengers or freight there waiting, not exceeding, at any one time a period of fifteen minutes. Obstruction
of roads.

SEC. 2. *Be it enacted*, That any person or persons or corporation, its officers or agents, violating the provisions of the above section shall be liable to a fine of not less than twenty dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars to be recovered before any justice of the peace of Baltimore county, subject, however, to the right of appeal to the Circuit Court for Baltimore county. Penalty.

Approved April 4, 1896.

CHAPTER 470.

AN ACT to incorporate the White Haven Bridge Company.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That W. J. Catlin, Otis S. Lloyd, D. J. Elwitt, James M. Roberts, W. K. Leatherby, G. H. Robertson and G. M. Catlin, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners for the purpose hereinafter mentioned, with power to supply any vacancy that may occur in their body by death, resignation or otherwise; that is to say, that they, or a majority of them, after giving at least fifteen days' notice by publication in such newspapers and by such other mode, as they, in their discretion, shall deem most conducive to the interest of their enterprise, shall open a book or books at such place or places as they may designate, for receiving subscriptions to the capital stock, to construct a bridge across the Wicomico river, in Wicomico and Somerset counties, at or near the site of the present ferry, known as "White Haven Ferry;" and, thereupon, they or a majority of their board shall proceed to receive subscriptions to the capital stock of the company by this act incorporated; the said stock to be limited to twenty-five thousand dollars, to be divided into shares of fifty dollars each, and the said books shall be kept open as long as the said commissioners, or a majority of them shall deem prudent. Appointment
of commis-
sioners.