

CHAP 559. Allegany county, Maryland, and of the Westernport and Lonaconing Railway Company of Allegany county, Maryland, and of any other electric railway company connecting therewith in Allegany county, and to operate said leased or consolidated roads between the terminals thereof; and such several companies, and each of them, is hereby empowered to contract with the said Cumberland and Westernport Electric Railway Company for such consolidation, merger, lease, purchase or sale, and to do all such acts or things as shall be necessary to consummate the same.

Transportation of passengers, packages, etc.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the said Cumberland and Westernport Electric Railway Company shall have power to transport over its roads passengers, at the rates prescribed in the franchises heretofore granted by the Commissioners of Allegany county, and also packages, parcels of merchandise, baggage and other commodities, except coal and lumber, and to charge reasonable rates therefor.

May furnish electricity, etc.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That the said company be and it is hereby authorized to supply any persons or corporations within Allegany county, Maryland, forms of electricity for use in driving machinery, and for lighting, heating and all other purposes and uses to which electricity can be made applicable, and to contract for the said power from any electric company now incorporated or which may be hereafter incorporated, or to buy, lease or consolidate with any such electric power company for such purposes, and to charge and receive reasonable rates therefor; and said company is hereby authorized, from time to time, to increase its capital stock to an amount not exceeding a total issue of 20,000 shares of \$30 each, or \$1,000,000, and to issue bonds for such amount as may be necessary to accomplish the purposes of this Act, and execute a mortgage or mortgages of all or any of its property and franchises to secure said bonds.

Capital stock may be increased.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 11, 1902.

CHAPTER 560.

AN ACT to enlarge and extend the powers of the Maryland Medical College of Baltimore City.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, The Maryland Medical College of Baltimore city, a prosperous and progressive Medical College, incorporated under the General Laws of this State, desires to have its powers thereunder enlarged and extended; therefore,