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Provide joint operation.

same or different processes in the same town or city, and the holders of a majority of stock therein shall believe that such corporations can furnish a cheaper and better service by co-operation for that purpose, and shall authorize the exercise of the powers herein given, such corporations, in addition to the right to consolidate, as provided in Article 23, Section 45, of the Code of Public General Laws of this State, are hereby empowered to secure such joint operation by one of said corporations becoming the lessee of the property and franchises of the others, or the owner of stock therein.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 3, 1906.

## CHAPTER 168.

AN ACT to prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors within three miles in all directions of St. Mary's Protestant Episcopal Church, in the village of Woodville, Aquasco District, Prince George County, Maryland.

Preamble.

Prohibit the

Whereas, It is against the wishes of many persons residing in the village of Woodville and vicinity in Prince George county that liquor should be sold in said village; and

Whereas. This wish has been respected for many years by all persons residing in said village,

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall not be lawful for the clerk of the Circuit Court for Prince George county to issue a license in any sale of liquor form to any person, firm or corporation to sell spirituous or fermented liquors nearer than three miles in all directions from St. Mary's Protestant Episcopal Church, in the village of Woodville, Aquasco district, Prince George county, Maryland.

> SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 27, 1906.