

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That the principal office of said corporation shall be in Baltimore city, where all meetings of said company and the directors shall be held at such time as may be fixed upon by the by-laws for the transaction of the business of the company, and correct minutes of all proceedings shall be kept and entered in a book, to be open to the inspection of any stockholder.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That the said corporation, after being organized as hereinbefore provided, may construct and thereafter keep in repair a bridge over North East creek or Back river at Chesaco Park, formerly known as New Warsaw, which is situated at the junction formed by the east side of Back river and the north side of North East creek, in Baltimore county, over North East creek or Back river, to a point on the opposite or outer bank or side of the said North East creek or Back river, as the directors may select. If across Back river, it shall be situated between the railroad bridge of the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company, formerly known as the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company, over Back river and the mouth of North East creek, where it empties into Back river. If across North East creek, then between the mouth of North East creek where it empties into Back river, and a point 1,000 feet easterly from the said mouth of North East creek. It being understood that only one bridge is to be erected over either North East creek or Back river, and upon such site as selected by the said board of directors, and such bridge may be constructed out of steel, iron, stone, cement, brick or timber, or partly of different materials, and for this purpose they may purchase all such materials, enter into all contracts and agreements as may be needful.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That the said company, or the president and the directors thereof, or their agent or agents authorized by them, may agree with the owner or owners of any land, gravel, stone, timber, materials or any improvements which may be wanted for the proper construction or repairs of said bridge or any of its piers, abutments or foundations, or other needful parts thereof, or for a roadway not exceeding thirty feet in width, from a point on said bridge to the nearest county road, for the purpose and use and occupation of the same, and if they can not agree with such owner or owners, or if such owner or owners of any of them be an infant, feme covert, not possessed of the property to her separate use and authorized to contract with reference to the same, non compos mentis, or for any other cause be legally incapable of constructing, application may be made by said company to any justice