

Penalty for  
injury to pro-  
perty, &c.

Sec. 7. *And be it enacted,* That if any person or persons shall injure any of the canals, reservoirs, tunnels, mounds, dams, plugs, pipes, engines, machinery or any of the works of this corporation, or shall pollute or render impure, any of the said waters by placing foul substances or nuisances therein, they shall forfeit and pay the damages sustained therefrom, to be recovered with costs of suit, in the name of said corporation, before any court or Justice of the Peace having cognizance thereof.

Governor au-  
thorized to  
subscribe.

Sec. 8. *And be it enacted,* That the Governor of the State, be and he is hereby authorized to subscribe in the name of the State, for the capital stock of the said company, not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, or four hundred shares, and to contract with the President and Directors of the said company, or their agent or agents, annually to supply the public buildings and grounds belonging to the State, at the same rate and terms upon which water is furnished to the citizens of Annapolis, and the Comptroller, when certified by the Governor of the sum of money agreed by him to be paid to the said company for stocks subscribed or for water, shall issue his warrant upon the Treasurer of the State for the same, in favor of the said President and Directors, and the Governor is hereby authorized to contract in like manner with the said company for all the water, fixtures and apparatus necessary to introduce water into said public buildings and grounds to be paid for as aforesaid upon his certificate, by the warrant of the Comptroller; *provided,* the sum of twenty thousand dollars has been previously paid in by private stockholders.

Proviso.

Banking pro-  
hibited.

Sec. 9. *And be it enacted,* That nothing herein contained shall be construed to give to the said company any banking privileges, and the General Assembly hereby reserves the right to alter, amend or repeal the charter hereby created.

In force.

Sec. 10. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the day of its passage.