

Arundel County doing the County printing a full statement of the exact condition of said sinking fund.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That the said County Commissioners shall have power at any time out of any surplus funds belonging to the said County to purchase and retire any of the bonds hereby authorized to be issued at their market value. And the same to cancel and destroy, after entering upon their books the date of such purchase and of such cancellation and the dates, amounts, numbers and other particulars of the said bonds, respectively; provided, that no bonds shall be purchased unless all coupons thereof, respectively, not then due shall remain attached to such bonds at the time of purchase.

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That no bonds shall be delivered to the said railroad company by the said County Commissioners until first the said railroad of the said company shall be built and completely constructed, equipped, put in running order and open for regular passage and freight service from the tidewater at Drum Point on the Chesapeake Bay, through Calvert and Anne Arundel Counties to a point in said Anne Arundel County at least as far north as Millersville on the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Electric Railway; and second, until regular through passenger and freight trains are running at least six days in every week from the said Drum Point to the City of Baltimore, over the railroad of the said Baltimore and Virginia Railroad Company from the said Drum Point to a point in said Anne Arundel County at least as far north as Millersville, and from thence either over the railroad on the said Baltimore and Virginia Railroad Company, if said railroad shall have been constructed and put in running order, from Millersville to the City of Baltimore, or if said railroad shall not then have been constructed and put in running order from Millersville to Baltimore City over the railroad of some company with which the said Baltimore and Virginia Railroad Company shall have effected such arrangement as will enable it to run the said through trains into the City of Baltimore; provided that before the said County Commissioners of said County are authorized and directed to issue said bonds, the question of whether said railroad is fully constructed and in operation as above required, shall be submitted to a Commission composed of the County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County, and the Counsel to the Board of County Commissioners, who shall examine the road-bed of said road, the rolling stock and car service upon the same and if the said Commissioners or a majority of them shall re-