To levy.

SEC. 4. And be it enacted, That the commissioners of Cecil county, be and they are hereby authorised and empowered at their next annual levy, if in their judgment it it shall qe necessary and expedient, to levy upon the assessable property of said county, the sum of five hundred dollars, and at their next annual levy thereafter, the further sum of five hundred dollars, and pay the same over when collected to the bridge commissioners, and the said bridge commissioners shall give bond, with approved security to the said commissioners of Cecil county, for the respective sums of money placed in their hands, and for the faithful expenditure thereof, in the building of said bridge.

Not to enter upon duty until entry. commissioners levy.

Sec. 5. And be it enacted, That the commissioners and in the first section of this act shall not enter upon any duty imposed by this act, until the commissioners of Cecil county, shall have levied the money authorised under this

act.

CHAPTER 60.

Passed Feb. 2, 1844.

An act to incorporate the Covington Manfacturing Company of Maryland.

Incorporated.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Evan T. Ellicott, Henry Jackson, Andrew Ellicott, John G. Jackson and Elias Ellicott, their associates, successors and assigns, be and they are hereby created a corporation and body politic, by the name and style of the Covington Manufacturing Company, and by that name may have perpetual succession, and shall be able and capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered in any court of law or equity, and to make and use a common seal, and to ordain and establish such by-laws, and regulations as shall be necessary or convenient for conducting the affairs of the corporation not repugnant to law.

SEC. 2. Be it enacted, That the objects of said corporation are delared to be the making and manufacturing of and trading in iron and other articles, for which purpose they are hereby authorised to purchase, hold and sell land in fee simple or otherwise, necessary to the conduct of the business, and to erect thereon all needful or convenient buildings, that the capital stock of said corporation shall not be less than one hundred thousand nor more than four

hundred thousand dollars.

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