

CHAP. 136. ration shall remain in force until the year eighteen hundred and seventy, and until the end of the next General Assembly thereafter; *provided*, that nothing in this act shall be so construed as to deprive any future Legislature of the right to alter, amend or repeal said act.

In force until 1870.

Right reserved.

CHAPTER 136.

Passed Feb. 20, 1845. *An act to incorporate the Frederick and Emmettsburg Turnpike Company.*

Incorporated. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That a company be incorporated to make a turnpike road from the city of Frederick, or some convenient point on the Frederick and Woodsborough Turnpike Road, to Lewistown, Catoctin Furnace, Mechanicsburg, and thence to Emmettsburg, in Frederick county.

Subscription books to be opened. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That subscription books shall be opened at Emmettsburg, Mechanicstown, Lewistown, and Frederick city; and the same shall be opened at Emmettsburg, under the direction of Isaac Baugher, James A. Sherb, Joshua Motter, Felix B. Taney, and William Patterson; at Mechanicstown, under the direction of William E. Louders, George Harman, John Arthur, Henry Renzer, and William Lifton; at Lewistown, under the direction of Benjamin Fitzhugh, George Schlosser, Frederick Cronise, John T. Schley, and Daniel Snook; at Frederick city, under the direction of F. A. Schley, Dr. Wm. Tyler, Richard Potts, Basil Norris, and Alexander B. Hanson, for a capital stock of sixty thousand dollars, in shares of twenty dollars each, who are hereby appointed commissioners for the purpose aforesaid, who after at least twenty days notice by publication in the several newspapers of Frederick city, of the time and place of opening said subscription books, at which time, and at each place, at least three of the above named commissioners shall attend, and shall permit all persons and corporations, who shall offer to subscribe in person or by attorney, for stock in said books, which shall be kept open for that purpose at least four hours in each day, for three successive days, if necessary; and if the whole of the said capital stock be not then subscribed for, the said commissioners may re-open said books at such time and place as they may think fit, under the direction of the said commissioners or any three of them, for further subscriptions, from time to time, until the whole of said stock be subscribed for.

Capital stock, \$60,000.

May re-open books.