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and bargains whatsoever necessary for the purposes and objects of the said Company, and may have and use a common seal which they shall have power to alter or renew at pleasure, and generally to do every other act or thing necessary to carry into effect the provisions, objects and purposes of this act, and not inconsistent with the laws of this State or the United States.

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SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the purposes and obobjects of in-jects for which the Great Falls Iron Company aforesaid is incorporated are the improvement, rebuilding and putting in operation the works heretofore known as Ridgely's Forges; the locating and laying off into streets a town to be called Great Falls at said works, near the point on the Great Falls of Gunpowder River, where the Baltimore and Havre-de-Grace Turnpike Road crosses the same, the beautifying and improving said town by erecting therein stores, dwellings, workshops, factories, buildings, mills, furnaces, school-houses, and such other improvements as may be found or deemed necessary to give effect to the objects and purposes of this act, and to sell, rent, lease, convey, grant on condition or otherwise dispose of or use for manufacturing, mining or agricultural purposes any part or parcel of the lands or water powers that shall or may become the property of said company, together with the buildings and improvements thereon erected; the procuring by mining therefor or otherwise iron or other metalic ores, and to prepare, smelt, manufacture and dispose of the same; the locating, making, constructing and repairing a rail road from the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Rail Road to said Works, the putting cars, machinery and motive power on the same for the purpose of conveying freight and passengers and charging tolls thereon, as hereinafter mentioned and intended. The series and the properties fire

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Receive sub- SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That the said Robert Howscription to the ard, William G. Harrison, William Winn, William Knox and John S. Hayes, or such one or more of them as the others or a majority of them shall, for that purpose authorize and appoint may take and receive subscriptions to the capital stock of said Company in such manner, in such kind and on such terms as they or a majority of them shall choose or designate, in shares of one hundred dollars each, to such amount as they may deem necessary, not exceeding two thousand shares; and any person or persons who shall become holders or entitled to one or more shares of said stock, shall thereupon become a member of the Great Falls fron Compagrants, conveyances, devenants, contracts, agreements

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