

against the Annapolis and Elkridge Rail Road Company be, and the same are hereby referred to the arbitrament of three persons hereinafter designated, to be first sworn, whose award, or the award of any two of whom shall be final and conclusive, and the same shall be performed as hereinafter directed in this act.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said arbitrators, or such of them as shall act in deciding upon such claims, shall proceed according to the principles and in manner as directed by the second section of the act to which this is a supplement.

Arbitrators to be governed by second sec.

SEC. 3. And in order to insure a fair and full investigation in the premises, *Be it further enacted*, That the Attorney General shall appear on behalf of the State, and shall make such objections, offer such testimony, and otherwise proceed in the premises as if the said arbitration were had upon a submission of said claims by said Passmore McCullough and said company, to said arbitrators for decision upon the principles and in manner aforesaid.

Attorney General to appear in behalf of the state.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That said arbitrators, or such of them as shall act, shall give notice to the Attorney General of the time and place which they may appoint for proceeding in the premises; and that they shall deliver said award when made, by transmitting the same under their hand and seal to the treasurer of this State, the said Attorney General to receive at a subsequent session of the Legislature in their discretion, a reasonable compensation for his services on behalf of the State.

Arbitrators to notify Attorney General.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That in payment of whatever sum may be found by said award to be due to said Passmore McCullough, the treasurer of the State shall issue certificates, in such form as he shall think best, and divided in such sums, not less than one hundred dollars, as said Passmore McCullough shall require, importing that there is due to the bearer thereof, the sum of money for which the several certificates shall be respectively issued, bearing interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable on the first day of January and July of each year, out of the fund provided in this act, and not otherwise; and shall forthwith deliver the same to the said Passmore McCullough, or to his order or assigns, in full discharge of all his claims against said company, on any account whatever.

Treasurer to issue certificates.

SEC. 6 *And be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the interest and principal of the certificates which shall be issued according to the provisions

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