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LAWS OF MARYLAND.

CHAP. 254.

Legislature of the State of Maryland to purchase and hold lands in the said county of Montgomery, in the said State of Maryland, at and near the Great Falls of the Potomac river, in one or more tracts not exceeding two thousand acres—Therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Great Falls Manufacturing company, being a company incorporated by an act of the Legislature of Virginia, for manufacturing purposes, at and near the Great Falls of the Potomac river, passed on the fourth day of February, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, and amended by an act to amend and revive an act to incorporate the Great Falls Manufacturing company, passed March fifth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, be and they are hereby, authorised and empowered by authority of the same to purchase and hold lands in one or more tracts in the county of Montgomery and State of Maryland, not exceeding two thousand acres.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall be in force from the passing thereof.

In force.

CHAPTER 254.

Passed March 9, 1848.

A further supplement to an act passed at December session eighteen hundred and forty-one, chapter one hundred and eighty-two, entitled, an act to provide for the election of the Commissioners of Montgomery county by the people.

Five commissioners to be elected by the people for two years.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That on the first Wednesday in October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, and on the first Wednesday in October in every second year thereafter, the persons qualified to vote for Delegates to the General Assembly in Montgomery county, shall at the time and places of holding elections in said county, vote by ballot for five persons as commissioners for Montgomery county, and upon the final casting of the polls the persons who shall appear to have the greatest number of legal votes shall be declared and returned duly elected commissioners of Montgomery county for the term of two years.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That all laws contrary to the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent acts repealed.