

CHAPTER 260.

Passed
Mar. 10, 1854.

AN ACT to provide for the sale of the interest of the State of Maryland, in the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road company, and for the completion of the Northern Central Rail Way, from Tide Water in the City of Baltimore, to Sunbury in the State of Pennsylvania, and for vesting certain powers to that end in the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore.

Mortgage to
be given.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That whenever the corporation authorised by this General Assembly to be created by the consolidation of the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road company in the State of Maryland, and the York and Maryland Line Rail Road company, and the Susquehanna Rail Road company in the State of Pennsylvania, to be known by the name of the Northern Central Rail Way company, or by whatever name the same shall be incorporated, shall have been duly established and erected in conformity with an act of this General Assembly, and of an act of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania authorising the same, and shall execute and acknowledge, and cause to be recorded in due form of law in the city of Baltimore, and in all the counties of Maryland and Pennsylvania, in which the same may be, a mortgage to the State of Maryland of the entire line of rail road belonging to the said company from Baltimore to Sunbury in Pennsylvania, with all the revenue or tolls thereof, to secure to the State of Maryland the payment of the annuity hereinafter mentioned, and shall in all respects comply with the provisions of this act, then the Treasurer of the State of Maryland upon receiving the said mortgage, shall be, and he is hereby authorised and directed to execute, acknowledge and deliver to said company and its assigns in perpetuity, a conveyance and release of all the estate and interest of the State of Maryland, in the present Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road company and in all its property, whether as stockholder, creditor or mortgagee, or otherwise; *Provided,* that the mortgage herein referred to shall be delivered to the Treasurer of the State of Maryland, duly executed and recorded on or before the first day of March, eighteen hundred and fifty-five, and until

Provided.