

SEC. 4. *Be it enacted*, That in case Caroline county shall refuse or neglect to purchase the Choptank Bridge, at Dover Ferry, from the President and Directors of the Choptank Bridge Company, then it shall be lawful for the levy court of said county, at their discretion, to contract with the President and Directors of the Choptank Bridge Company, or the purchaser or purchasers of the same, for such sum as they may agree upon to make the bridge free to the inhabitants of the county, and the levy court of Caroline county are hereby authorised and required to levy upon the assessable property of said county, a sufficient sum, clear of charges, to make good the same.

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Contract for a free
bridge for Caro-
line county au-
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Levy

SEC. 5. *Be it enacted*, That in case Talbot county shall refuse or neglect to purchase the Choptank Bridge, at Dover Ferry, from the President and Directors of the Choptank Bridge Company, then it shall be lawful for the commissioners for said county, at their discretion, to contract with the President and Directors of the Choptank Bridge Company, or the purchaser or purchasers of the same, for such sum of money as they may agree upon to make the passage of said bridge free to the inhabitants of the said county, and the commissioners for Talbot county are hereby authorised and required to levy, upon the assessable property of Talbot county, a sufficient sum, clear of charges, to make good the same.

Similar for Talbot

Levy

SEC. 6. *Be it enacted*, That if the President and Directors shall make sale of the Choptank Bridge, at Dover Ferry, they shall proceed, as soon as conveniently may be thereafter, to close the concern, and pay over to each stockholder or his legal representatives, his or their just proportion of all funds of said company.

Classing the con-
cern

SEC. 7. *Be it enacted*, That all laws, inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed and made null and void.

Repealing clause