

over the waters of Herring Creek, in the third election district in said county, on the route of the road proposed to be made to "Ocean City," across said creek, and also to levy upon the taxable basis of said county a sum of money sufficient for the purpose and for any damage that may be determined to be due to any person by the erection and maintenance of said bridge; provided that if the Commissioners aforesaid, in their discretion, shall cause said bridge to be erected, they shall make and keep up said bridge at least "four feet" above the water of said creek at ordinary high tide; and also provided that nothing in this act shall be construed to take away any right of action for damages done real estate bordering on the said creek by reason of the erection and maintenance of said bridge; but no person shall recover any damage therefor unless action for the same shall be instituted within ninety days from the completion of said bridge.

Bridge over Herring Cr'k.

To levy.

Damage to any person.

Keep up bridge.

High tide.

Action for damages.

Shall be instituted.

Approved March 20, 1878.

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CHAPTER 98.

AN ACT to continue the corporate existence of the Bank of Commerce, in the city of Baltimore, and authorizing the cancelling by it, of two thousand seven hundred shares in the capital stock thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the corporate existence of the Bank of Commerce, in the city of Baltimore, be, and is hereby extended to the first day of January, in the year nineteen hundred and ten, and until the end of the regular session of the General Assembly next thereafter.

Corporate existence extended.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said Bank of Commerce be, and is hereby authorized and empowered to cancel, annul, and make void, the two thousand seven hundred shares of its capital stock which now represents a portion of its assets.

Authorized to cancel, annul, &c.