

CHAP. 125.

Plat.

Oath.

Dimensions of the road.

Limit as to time.

Rights and privileges granted.

Toll gates—keep-ers.

lay out the said road in the nearest and best direction, from the Eastern limits of the Town of Williamsport aforesaid, to the Town of Hagerstown aforesaid, and after having laid out and marked said road, shall make out a plot of the same, specifying the course and distance, and return the said plot to the President and Managers; and said Commissioners, before they proceed to act shall take the following oath or affirmation: I, A. B. do swear (or affirm as the case may be,) that I will lay out and mark the Williamsport and Hagerstown Turnpike road, according to the best of my skill and judgment, agreeably to the purport of an act, entitled, An act to incorporate a company to make a Turnpike road from Williamsport to Hagerstown; and I do further swear (or affirm as the case may be) that I am not interested in any land through which said road is likely to pass.

Sec. 10. *And be it enacted*, That the said company shall cause the said road to be laid out sixty-six feet wide, twenty-one feet whereof in breadth, at least, shall be made an artificial road, to be composed of stone or gravel, and shall in no place rise or fall more than will form an angle of more than two and a half degrees with an horizontal line.

Sec. 11. *And be it enacted*, That if the said company shall not commence the making of said road within five years from the passage of this act, and shall not complete the same within five years thereafter, the right of the said company to the said road shall revert to the State of Maryland.

Sec. 12. *And be it enacted*, That the said company shall be, and is hereby clothed and invested as respects the said road, with all and singular, the rights, privileges, immunities and advantages, not inconsistent with the provisions of this act, that are held used and possessed by the several Turnpike companies, incorporated by an act of Assembly, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and four, chapter fifty-one, entitled, "An act to incorporate companies to make several Turnpike roads through Baltimore county, and for other purposes," and shall be governed by the same regulations and be subject to the same fines, penalties and restrictions, as the said companies now are, where the same are not inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

Sec. 13. *And be it enacted*, That the said company having perfected the said road according to the intention of this act, it shall and may be lawful for them to erect one