

from the place where the rail road shall cross any such road or street, and be sounded at intervals until it shall have crossed such road or street, under the penalty of thirty dollars for the neglect of the provisions of this section, to be sued for before any justice of the peace of the election district or ward in which such neglect may happen, in ten days after such penalty was incurred, one half thereof to go to the informer, and the other half to the county or city in which such neglect may happen; and said company shall also be liable for all damages which shall be sustained by any person by reason of such neglect; and all penalties imposed by this act may be sued for in the name of the State, and if such penalty shall be for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, then such suit may be brought before a justice of the peace, and may be commenced by serving a summons on any director, agent or engineer of said company.

SEC. 26. *And be it enacted*, That if this road shall not be commenced in three years from the passage of this act, and shall not be finished in ten years from the time of the commencement thereof, then this act shall be null and void.

SEC. 27. *And be it enacted*, That full power, right and privilege is hereby granted and reserved to the citizens of this State, or any company hereafter to be incorporated under the authority of this State, to connect with the railroad hereby provided for, any other rail road leading from the main route to any part or parts of this State; *Provided*, that in forming such connexion no injury shall be done to the works of the company hereby incorporated.

SEC. 28. *And be it enacted*, That if any person or persons shall ride, drive or lead any animal or animals, or shall drive or ride in any carriage, wagon, or other article, except in the cars or service of said rail road, or by the written permission of said company, except at or upon the crossing places upon said road, shall be liable, each and every of them, to a fine of five dollars for each and every offence, to be recovered before any justice of the peace in the county in which the offence is committed, as small debts are by law recoverable; and that any process that shall be issued, shall be only on the complaint of said company, to whom all fines shall accrue; *Provided*, that the justice of the peace, by whom such process shall have been issued, may remit in whole or in part any fine that may have been previously adjudged.

CHAP. 304.

Act to be null if road not finished in ten years.

Power to connect with rail road.

Proviso.

Fine for riding, &c. upon road.

Proviso.