city, town, or incorporated village, with out the consent of the local authorities having the control of the street or highway proposed to be occupied by such street or other railroad.

Section XIII 12 The legislative assembly shall pass no law for the benefit of a railroad or other corporation, or any individual or association of individuals, retrospective in its operation, or which imposes on the people of any county or municipal subdivision of the State a new liability in respect to transactions or considerations already past.

Section XIV 13 Any association or corporation, or the lessees or managers thereof, organized for the purpose; or any individual, shall have the right to construct and maintain lines of telegraph or telephone within this State, and connect the same with other lines; and the legislature ~~assembly~~ shall by general law of uniform operation provide reasonable regulations to give full effect to this section. No telegraph or telephone company shall consolidate with, or hold