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XXVII.

course of law, make good title thereto, such person shall be entitled to recover from the said Thomas Beall, his heirs, devisee, executors, or administrators, any purchase money or rents by him received from any of the purchasers or lessees of any of the said lots, and, upon any such recovery, the tenants holding under the said Thomas Beall shall thereafter hold under and pay the rent reserved to the person making title to and recovering the same land.

Houses already built to continue, &c.

VIII. And be it enacted, That if any of the buildings already built on the land so as aforesaid to be laid out by the said commissioners, and erected into a town, should happen to interfere with, or stand on any of the streets laid off in virtue of this act, the same shall be permitted to continue, but shall not at any time hereafter be repaired or rebuilt.

C H A P. XXVIII.

Passed January 20.

An ACT for the benefit of the reverend Henry Addison. (*A private act.*)

C H A P. XXIX.

Passed January 20.

An ACT to enable the justices of Anne-Arundel county court to assess a sum of money on the said county for the support of the four children of Caleb Hazle, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, by the petition of Sarah Adams, of Anne-Arundel county, that her brother, Caleb Hazle, some time in June last, departed this life, leaving four children, a son and three daughters, the eldest of whom is not more than eight years of age, and that the wife of the said Caleb Hazle, and mother of said children, died about two years before her said husband; that the said Caleb Hazle died insolvent, and left his said children destitute of the necessaries of life, and without friends or relations, except the petitioner, who is a poor woman, and can, with difficulty, support herself, and praying that some provision might be made for the support and maintenance of the said children; and the said facts appearing to this general assembly to be true;

Justices to assess money, &c.

II. Be it therefore enacted, by the general assembly of Maryland, That the justices of Anne-Arundel county court shall have full power and authority annually to assess on the assessable property in their said county, a sum of money sufficient for the support and maintenance of the four children of Caleb Hazle, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceased, until the said children arrive at an age sufficient to be bound out.

C H A P. XXX.

Passed January 20.

An ACT for opening and extending a road from Elizabeth-town, in Washington county, to Patowmack river, at the mouth of Conococheague creek.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the inhabitants of Washington county, by their petition to this general assembly, did set forth, that a numerous concourse of people, travelling to and from Philadelphia, and other parts of Pennsylvania, to Winchester, and other parts of Virginia, as well as great numbers of the inhabitants of said county, are reduced to great trouble and inconvenience, from the badness and crookedness of said road from Elizabeth-town to Patowmack, at the mouth of Conococheague creek, and that said road may be much streightened and amended without any injury to individuals, but great numbers benefited by having a road on a streight line between the two places;

Justices to appoint commissioners, &c.

II. Be it enacted, by the general assembly of Maryland, That the justices of Washington county court shall be, and are hereby empowered to appoint Henry Shryock, Richard Pindle and Paul Hoy, commissioners to lay out a road from Elizabeth-town, in Washington county, to the Patowmack river, at the mouth of Conococheague creek, on as streight a line as the nature of the ground will admit,