

C H A P. CLX. refuse to take the same at such valuation, the estate shall be sold by the commissioners, according to the provisions of the said act of assembly, entitled, An act to regulate descents, and the several supplements thereto.

C H A P. CLXI.

Passed 6th of Jan. 1810.

### A Supplement to an Act, entitled, An Act for opening a certain Road in Baltimore County therein mentioned.

**W**HEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, by the petition of sundry inhabitants of Baltimore county, that the commissioners appointed under the act to which this is a supplement, to lay out a road from the end of the Falls turnpike to Benjamin Price's shop, from thence in a direction as near as convenient to Black Rock Mills, to intersect the main road near George Carlinger's mill, have laid out that part of said road leading from Benjamin Price's shop to Darby Ensor's mill-race, above Black Rock Mills, to the great injury of the landholders, and contrary to the intention of the law, and praying that other commissioners may be appointed to lay out that part of said road; therefore,

II. BE IT ENACTED, *by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Thomas Talbot, Michael Armacost and Charles Cockey, are hereby appointed commissioners of review, and they, or a majority of them, are hereby authorise to review the location of that part of said road, as made by the commissioners under the act to which this is a supplement, from Benjamin Price's shop to Darby Ensor's mill-race above Black Rock Mill, and they, or a majority of them, are hereby authorised to view the ground from Benjamin Price's shop to Ensor Ford, from thence to the cross-road, and from thence to Darby Ensor's mill-race above Black Rock Mill, and in case the said commissioners of review shall be of opinion that the location made by the commissioners appointed under the act to which this is a supplement, from Benjamin Price's shop to Darby Ensor's mill-race above Black Rock Mill, is laid out and located agreeably to the provisions of the act to which this is a supplement, then and in that case the said commissioners of review are hereby authorised and empowered to confirm the said location, on the contrary, should they be of opinion that the said location is not made agreeably to the provisions of the said act, then and in that case the said commissioners of review are hereby authorise and empowered to lay out and locate a road under the provisions of the act to which this is a supplement, from Benjamin Price's shop to Ensor's Ford, from thence to the cross roads, and from thence to Darby Ensor's mill-race above Black Rock Mill.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all and every person through whose land the road passes, as laid out by the commissioners appointed under the act to which this is a supplement, from Benjamin Price's shop to Darby Ensor's mill-race above Black Rock Mill, are hereby authorised and empowered to shut up the same in case the said location is not confirmed by the said commissioners of review.

C H A P. CLXII.

Passed 6th of Jan. 1810.

### An ACT for the relief of Doctor Robert Moore, of Talbot County.

**W**HEREAS it has been represented to this general assembly, by the petition of Robert Moore, of Talbot county, that he is a native of the county of Donegal, in the kingdom of Ireland; that in the year one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three, he emigrated from said kingdom, and arrived in Philadelphia towards the latter part of the said year, and has ever since resided in the United States, and since the year seventeen hundred and eighty-eight, in the state of Maryland, and from an idea that a number of years residence would give him a right of citizenship, he omitted the necessary form of naturalization, until the last session of Talbot county court: And whereas the said Robert Moore has, since his emigration, acquired certain real property in this state, the title to which may be called in question, to his great injury, from his not having become naturalized agreeably to the laws of the United States, before acquiring the said property; therefore,

II. BE IT ENACTED, *by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the title of the real property, lawfully and fairly acquired by the aforesaid Robert Moore, whether such title be derived by gift, grant, purchase or devise, be and the same is hereby as amply and as fully vested in the said Robert Moore, as if the said Robert Moore had become naturalized, agreeably to the laws of the United States, before the acquiring such real property; provided always, that nothing herein contained shall in any manner defeat or affect any right, title or claim, to the said property, or any part thereof, lawfully acquired by any person or persons whatever before the passage of this act.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all such deed or deeds of conveyance, made and executed by the said Robert Moore to the several persons who may have purchased property of him prior to his