

tribution by the administrator, to full indemnity, out of the personal estate.

6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the said trustees or any two of them, shall be at liberty on behalf of Thomas and John Carroll, minor heirs of the said deceased, to unite with the other heirs who are of full age, in an agreement with Margaret Carroll of Baltimore county, relict of Charles Carroll, to pay her an annuity during her life, in lieu of her thirds or dower right, in certain of the real estate of the said deceased, and in case such an agreement can be effected, the said trustees are hereby authorised to invest the residue or such part as may be necessary of said sales, to raise said annuity, in the stock of some bank in Baltimore, or other funds that may be agreed on, and permit the said Margaret Carroll to draw the interest thereof during her life, and after her death they shall divide said stock equally amongst the heirs at law of the said Nicholas Carroll, and if said agreement shall not be made as contemplated with the said Margaret Carroll, then the said trustees shall make distribution of the said proceeds amongst the heirs aforesaid.

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7. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the chancellor be, and he is hereby authorised and empowered, in case the said trustees or any two of them shall hereafter decline the trust hereby reposed in them, to appoint one or more trustees in their place and stead, who shall have the same powers as are invested in the trustees before named; which new trustees shall give bond in the same manner, and in the same penalty as that herein before mentioned and prescribed.

Vacancies—  
Chancellor  
may supply  
them.

CHAPTER 161.

*An act to make public a road in Queen Ann's county.*

Passed Dec.  
28, 1812.  
Preamble.

WHEREAS, It is represented to this General Assembly, by the petition of sundry inhabitants of Queen Ann's county, that they experience great inconvenience for the want of a confirmation of a public road leading from J. B. and intersecting the main road leading from Church Hill to Chester-Town, at the smith-shop of William Coleman, and have prayed a law may pass confirming the said road: *Therefore,*

SEC. 1. BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That James Brown, Samuel Betts and John Hackett be, and they or a majority of them are

Commissioners—its width  
—plot.