

Mr. Lawrence Hammond, Mr. John Howard, Dr. James Walker, and Vachel Denton, Esq; be, and are hereby appointed Commissioners, and as such are by Virtue of this Act authorized and empowered to treat and agree with the Proprietor or Proprietors of the Tract of Land on which the Chapel of Ease in St. Margaret's Westminster Parish now stands, for the Purchase of two Acres of Land, part of the said Tract, and to cause the same two Acres to be surveyed, butted, and bounded in such Manner as to them shall seem meet, by the Surveyor of Anne-Arundel County, or such other Person skilful in Surveying, as the said Commissioners or the major Part of them shall think fit to choose, so as the Chapel now standing on the said Land be included within the Bounds of the said two Acres: And in Case it shall so happen that the Proprietor or Proprietors of the Land aforesaid, upon having timely Notice given him, her, or them, of the Time and Place of the Meeting of the Commissioners aforesaid, to treat and agree with him, her, or them, to the Purposes aforesaid, shall refuse or neglect to appear, or upon appearing, shall not treat and agree with the Commissioners aforesaid, or the major Part of them, for the Sale and Purchase of two Acres of Land, to the Uses and Purposes aforesaid, then it shall and may be lawful to and for the Commissioners aforesaid, or the major Part of them, to issue a Warrant under their Hands and Seals, directed to the Sheriff of Anne-Arundel County for the time being, commanding him to summon and impanel a Jury of twelve good and lawful Men, Freeholders of his Bailywick, to be and appear at a certain Time and Place, in such Warrant to be mentioned; which Warrant the said Sheriff is hereby required and obliged to execute; and such Jury so impanelled, being by the said Commissioners charged and sworn, shall, upon their Oath, enquire, assess, and return what Damages or Recompense they shall think fit to be paid and given to such Proprietor or Proprietors for the two Acres of Land aforesaid, and whatever Sum or Sums of Money the Jury shall so assess and award, shall be, and is hereby declared to be the Value and Price to be paid to such Proprietor or Proprietors interested in the two Acres of Land so to be surveyed, butted, and bounded as aforesaid.

Session Laws
Commissioners appointed to purchase 2 Acres of Land where the Chapel stands

Such Land to be valued by a Jury

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That in Case the Proprietor or Proprietors of the Land aforesaid, shall upon tender being made to him, her, or them, by the Commissioners aforesaid, or the major Part of them, of the Money so assessed by the Jury, refuse to receive the same, or upon such receiving, shall refuse to execute a Deed for the Conveying of the said two Acres of Land to the Vestrymen and Church-wardens of the Parish aforesaid, for the Time being, and their Successors, to the Use of the said Parish forever, such Refusal being certified by the Commissioners aforesaid, or the major Part of them, to the Justices of Anne-Arundel County Court, and there recorded, shall be, and is hereby declared to vest the said Vestrymen and Church-wardens, and their Successors, with an

In case the Owner refuse the Price set by the Jury