

to the amount now required by law, and annually thereafter, a sufficient sum in advance, to pay jurors and state witnesses in said county, promptly at the close of each term of the said county court.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the collector of said county, whenever any person shall present to him an order from the clerk of Washington county court for his attendance as a juror or state witness, at any time after the close of the November term in eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, to pay over to such person or his order the amount due him, after deducting therefrom all charges the collector may have against such jurors or witnesses.

Collector required to pay certificates.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the clerk of Washington county court is hereby required to furnish each juror with an order for the amount of his per diem in the same manner that orders are now granted to witnesses.

Order for per diem.

LANDS, VACANT.

AN ACT relative to vacant State Lands in Washington County.—1827, ch. 201.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That all vacant lands in Washington county, may hereafter be taken up by common or special warrant, or warrant of resurvey in the usual manner, at twenty-five cents per acre, one-half to be paid at the time of obtaining the warrant, and the other half on the return of the certificate; *Provided*, that all warrants already issued shall be compounded on, agreeably to the law under which they were respectively obtained.

Vacant lands may be taken up.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That all laws heretofore passed on this subject, which are contrary to, or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Acts inconsistent herewith repealed.

LEVY COURT.

Merged in 'County Commissioners.'

METHODIST CAMP MEETINGS.

All the local acts are merged in 1824, ch. 53, ante page 803.

ORPHANS COURT.

1818, ch. 45, see 'Baltimore County,' title 'Orphans Court,' ante page 1699.

POOR.

AN ACT for the relief of the Poor of Washington County.—1796, ch. 22. A Supplement, 1797, ch. 34.

WHEREAS, the increase of the poor within Washington county is very great and burthensome, and which might be greatly lessened by a due regulation of them by law; therefore,

Preamble.