

more county, and to assess damages, &c.; *And whereas*, said road has been laid out and opened, and many persons whose lands it has passed through to their great injury, have not received any compensation for damages done by the opening of said road; therefore,

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That it shall be lawful for the commissioners of tax for Carroll county, in their discretion, to appoint on or before the first day of July next, three disinterested persons, citizens of said county, as commissioners, to view said road so far as it passes through Carroll county, and to assess and award such damages to each and every person whose lands said road passes through, as they may think just and right, they taking into consideration both the advantages and the disadvantages to said persons, and it shall be the duty of said commissioners, to make a return to the commissioners of tax for said county, on or before the first day of August next, the amount of money awarded to each person as aforesaid.

Three persons to be appointed to assess damages.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be lawful for the commissioners of tax for said county, in their discretion, to levy at their next annual levy, on the assessable property of said county, one-half of the money awarded by the commissioners so appointed, and pay the same over to the persons entitled to the same, and the other half to be levied as aforesaid, at their annual levy in eighteen hundred and forty-one, and paid over as aforesaid.

One-half of the damages to be assessed in 1840, and one-half in 1841.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the commissioners appointed by virtue of this act, shall before they proceed to the discharge of their duty, make oath or affirmation before some justice of the peace for said county, that they will without favour or prejudice, faithfully discharge their duty as commissioners aforesaid, and each commissioner appointed by virtue of this act shall be entitled to receive two dollars per day for each day's service rendered, for five days, and no more, to be levied and paid as other county charges are.

Commissioners to qualify.

A further SUPPLEMENT to chapter two hundred and eighty-one of December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, entitled, an Act relating to the People of Colour in this State.—1839, ch. 309.

See ante page 2342.

AN ACT for the benefit of the Crier of Carroll County Court.—1839, ch. 311.

*Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the crier of Carroll county court shall be entitled to receive one dollar in addition to his fees, for each day he shall attend upon the session of said court, and that the same be levied upon the assessable property of said county, and paid as other county charges.

Per diem to crier of court.