

CHAPTER 452.

AN ACT to repeal Sections 96 to 109, inclusive, of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland for Charles County, under the head of Roads, and to enact the following in lieu thereof; and to provide a Road System for St. Mary's County.

Repealed.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sections 96 to 109, inclusive, of the Code of Public Local Laws of this State for Charles County, relating to roads, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

Liable to road service.

96. Every male resident of Charles county, above the age of twenty-one years, shall be liable to road service upon the public roads in said county, within the road district in which he may reside, not exceeding two days for each year, which service he shall render by labor in person, or by some one furnished to labor in his stead, under the direction of the proper road officer of the county, or road district, when notified by such officer to attend for such purpose; and upon failure of any person so to attend and labor in person, or by substitute, when notified, he shall be liable on demand to pay for each day he shall so fail to attend a sum of money equivalent to the sum required to procure labor in his place, at the rate allowed therefor upon the roads in said county, with five per cent. in addition thereto for collecting the same, which, upon such demand and default of payment, shall be collected by the several Supervisors of Roads, in the name of the county, as other small debts are collected by law, and for which any and all property of such person, or his rights and credits, including any wages due or to be due him, shall be liable on execution or attachment; provided, that if any person from whom such road service may be required, under the preceding provision of this Section, shall make it appear to the Supervisor of his road district, under regulations in relation thereto to be prescribed by the County Commissioners of said

How collected.