

## CHAP. 146.

others, until it intersects the divisional line of Charles and Saint-Mary's counties, and thence until it falls into a road leading from Chaptico to Charlotte Hall, near the dwelling of Gerard Hayden, and to lay out, survey, mark and bound the same, not exceeding twenty feet in width; and to make a plot of the said road when laid out, surveyed, marked and bounded, and return the same under their hands and seals, one copy of such plot to the clerk of Charles county, and one other copy to the clerk of Saint-Mary's county, to be by them recorded among the land records of the said counties, and the said road, when so laid out, shall be and the same is hereby declared a public highway; and the levy courts of Charles and Saint-Mary's counties, at any meeting after the said plot shall have been recorded, are hereby authorised and empowered to appoint an overseer or overseers to keep their respective petitions of said road in repair, as other public roads are kept in repair in said counties; and the said levy courts are hereby further authorised and empowered, to levy and assess upon the assessable property of said counties, at the time of laying the next county levy, such sum or sums of money as each of said levy courts may think sufficient to pay the expense of opening the parts of said road lying in their respective counties.

Damages to be ascertained.

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall ascertain and value the damages which any person or persons may sustain, through whose land the said road may pass, by opening and clearing the same; and shall make and return to the levy courts of Charles and Saint-Mary's counties, a certificate of such valuation of damages, (if any,) sustained as aforesaid, in their respective counties; and the levy court of each or either of said counties, (as the case may be,) shall levy upon the assessable property of their respective counties, a sum of money equal to the amount of the damages ascertained as aforesaid in their respective counties, which shall be paid to the person or persons entitled thereto.

Allowance to commissioners.

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said commissioners shall be allowed two dollars per diem for their services, to be assessed and levied on the assessable property of the counties, from which they are respectively chosen.

## CHAP. CXLVII.

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Ch. 40.

*A Supplement to the act\*, entitled, An act authorising Commissioners to open the Old Road leading from Richard Owings's Mill in Anne-Arundel County, to Elk Ridge Church in Queen Caroline Parish, Lib. TH. No. 3, fol. 181.*

This act repealed by December 1813, ch. 156.

## CHAP. CXLVIII.

Passed Jan 4, 1812

*An Act to authorise a Lottery for the benefit of Salisbury, in Somerset and Worcester Counties. Lib. TH. No. 3, fol. 182.*

Managers authorised to raise 2000 dollars

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Thomas Hooper, George Maddux, Peter Dashiell, James Ritchie and John Moore, or such of them as shall enter into bond as hereinafter required, be and are hereby authorised to raise, by lottery, a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars, after deducting the necessary expenses.