

CHAP. 108. to Battle Swamp; *Provided*, that the said road shall not be made to pass through the buildings, yards, gardens or orchards, of any person or persons, without the consent of the owner or owners thereof.

Proviso

Plot. Expenses to be levied. Overseers.

2. **AND BE IT ENACTED**, That it shall be the duty of the commissioners aforesaid, or a majority of them, on or before the first Monday of September next, to cause a plot and certificate of said road to be made, and return the same to the levy court of Cecil county at their first sitting thereafter; and if the levy court of said county, upon consideration of all circumstances, shall be of opinion that the said road will be of advantage, then and in such case the clerk of said county shall record the same plot and certificate, whereupon it shall and may be lawful for the levy court of said county, to levy upon the assessable property of said county, such sum of money as they may deem necessary, and to appoint and employ an overseer to open and clear said road agreeably to the plot and certificate aforesaid, and the said road, when opened and cleared as aforesaid, shall be and the same is hereby declared to be, for ever thereafter, a public road, and shall be kept in repair as other public roads in said county.

Damages to be ascertained

3. **AND BE IT ENACTED**, That the levy court of said county shall appoint three disinterested persons, who, or a majority of them, shall value and ascertain the damages that may be sustained by each and every of the persons through whose lands the said road may pass, by opening the same, taking into consideration the advantages and disadvantages, and return the same to the levy court, and the damages so ascertained shall be levied and assessed as other county charges are, and shall be paid over to the persons respectively who may be endamaged thereby; *Provided nevertheless*, that no money shall be levied or assessed for the purpose of paying the damages aforesaid, until the said road is opened and cleared agreeably to the directions of this act.

Proviso

Commissioners compensation

4. **AND BE IT ENACTED**, That the said commissioners shall be entitled to receive, as a compensation for their services, a sum not exceeding two dollars per day, to be ascertained by the levy court, which is hereby directed to be levied, collected and paid, as other county charges.

CHAP. CIX.

Passed Jan 26, 1814 *An Act to enable the President, Directors and Company, of the Farmers Bank of Maryland at Annapolis, and of the Branch Bank at Easton, to remove said Banks in case of necessity, and for other purposes.* Lib. TH. No. 4, fol. 124.

This act has ceased to have any operation.

CHAP. CX.

Passed Jan 26, 1814 *An Act authorising Thomas Saulsbury, late Sheriff and Collector of Caroline County, to complete his Collection.* Lib. TH. No. 4, fol. 125.

CHAP. CXI.

Passed Jan 26, 1814 *An Act for the relief of Anne Mackie.* Lib. TH. No. 4, fol. 126. A Private Act.