

CHAP. 140. said road, and shall appoint an overseer for that purpose, and the said road shall thereafter be deemed a public highway, and shall be kept in repair as other public roads in said county are.

Damages to be ascertained

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall ascertain and value the damages, (if any,) that may be sustained by individuals through whose lands the said road may pass, taking into consideration the advantages and disadvantages, and return the same to the levy court of said county, together with the plot and certificate as above directed; and the damages so ascertained shall be levied and collected as other county charges in said county are, and shall be paid over to the persons entitled to receive the same; *Provided nevertheless*, that no money shall be levied or assessed for the purpose of paying the damages aforesaid, until the said road shall be opened and cleared agreeably to the provisions of this act.

Proviso

Commissioners allowance

4. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said commissioners shall be entitled to receive as a compensation for their services in performing the duties required by this act, the sum of two dollars per day, to be levied, collected and paid, in the same manner as are other county charges in said county.

CHAP. CXLII.

Passed Jan 28 1817 *An Act Supplementary to an act(a) for establishing a Medical and Chirurgical Society in the State of Maryland.* Lib. TH. No. 5, fol. 280.

(a) 1798, ch. 105. See 1801, ch. 55.
This act repealed by 1818, ch. 130.

CHAP. CXLII.

Passed Jan 28 1817 *An Act relating to Inquests held by Coroners.* Lib. TH. No. 5, fol. 280.

Allowance to jurors and coroners.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That hereafter there shall be allowed the sum of fifty cents to each juror who may serve on a coroner's inquest, and to the constable who may be directed by any coroner or magistrate to summon such jury, or to the coroner if the jury be summoned by him, the sum of twelve and one half cents for each juror, which sums shall be collected and paid to the persons entitled thereto, in the like manner as the fees allowed by law to such coroner.

See Nov. 1779, ch. 25.

CHAP. CXLIII.

Passed Jan 28 1817 *An Act to open and extend Pine-Street in the Western Precincts of Baltimore.* Lib. TH. No. 5, fol. 281.

Plot to be extended—plot to be returned

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the street commissioners of the western precincts of Baltimore be, and they or a majority of them are hereby authorised and empowered, to open and extend Pine-street in the said precincts, of the width of fifty feet, in a southerly direction from the intersection of Fayette and Pine-streets, to Baltimore-street, and the said street, when opened and extended, and the valuation and assessment herein after directed to be made shall have taken place, shall be deemed and considered, and is hereby declared, a public street and highway for ever thereafter; and the said commissioners, or a majority of them, are hereby directed to return a plot ascertaining