

for the North Branch Toll Bridge Company of Virginia, to build and complete a toll bridge over the north branch of Potomac, at any place or point where the directors of said company may deem to be the most convenient place for a bridge, on the road leading from Romney, in Virginia, through Westernport, in Maryland, to Clarksburgh and Morgan-Town, if said bridge should be built and constructed in such a way as not to molest and impede the navigation of said north branch of Potomac.

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may deem most convenient.

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That if it is or should be necessary to take the land or lands of any person or persons more than the present road as above now holds, for the abutment of said bridge, or for a road to or from said bridge, if the owners of said lands shall demand any pay, the said company shall pay and satisfy unto any such owners of land, a sufficient compensation for the same before they shall be admitted to take any privileges whatever to the building of said bridge; but if the owner of said land, and said company, cannot agree upon the price of said land, the same shall be left to three discreet men, one to be chosen by the party owning any such land, and one to be chosen by the said company, and the third one to be chosen by the men that should be chosen as above, and after taking into consideration the advantages and disadvantages accruing, shall bring in any such damages, if any, as they in their judgment shall deem right and just, and that said men so chosen, shall reside in the state of Maryland, not related to the holder or holders of any such lands, nor holding any stock in said company, and shall be legally sworn, and qualified so to act, before acting.

If necessary to take more land than road now holds, company to est. owners thereof, &c.

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said men, so chosen as above directed, shall be entitled to receive as a compensation for their services, a sum not exceeding two dollars per day for each and every day that they shall serve, which said sum or sums the said company shall pay.

Allowance to persons chosen to estimate damages.

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An Act for the relief of George Amick, of Frederick County. Lib. TH. No. 6, fol. 299.

Passed Jan 30 1819

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That George Amick, now in confinement in Frederick county gaol, shall be and he is hereby entitled to receive the benefit of the act, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session eighteen hundred and five\*, and the several supplements thereto, according to the terms and conditions prescribed in said acts, without being obliged to furnish evidence that he has resided two years within the state of Maryland.

Benefit of insolvent laws extended to him.

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CHAP. LXXXV.

An Act to permit John Lester, of the City of Baltimore, to bring certain Negroes from Virginia into this State. Lib. TH. No. 6, fol. 300.

Passed Jan 30 1819

CHAP. LXXXVI.

An Act to change the Name of John De Bentelo De Sylve, of Kent County, to that of John Wilmer Spencer Boyer. Lib. TH. No. 6, fol. 300.

Passed Dec 15 1818