

be recorded among the records of the said county; and the said land shall be held in trust by the said trustees, and their successors, forever, as public land for the purposes aforesaid, and other public purposes, for the use of the said county. CHAP. 85.

4. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorised and required to contract for materials and with workmen, or to treat and agree with undertakers, to erect and build, on the land to be procured as aforesaid, good and sufficient brick buildings, such as the said commissioners, in their discretion, shall think proper and suitable for the purposes aforesaid, and the same to build and finish in a good, substantial, and workman-like manner; and the said commissioners are hereby authorised and required, when such new buildings shall be completed and fitted for the reception of the poor, to sell, or cause to be sold, at public sale, together or in lots, on such terms and conditions as they shall think proper, not exceeding a credit of three years, all the lands, together with the buildings and appertinances thereto belonging, now occupied by the poor of said county, and the same, when wholly paid for, to transfer and convey, by a good and sufficient deed or deeds, to the purchaser or purchasers, all the right, title and interest, which the said county now has in the aforesaid lands and tenements, and the monies arising therefrom shall be received by the levy courts, and applied to the use of the said county.

—for erecting suitable buildings; to sell land and houses now occupied by poor.

5. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the commissioners aforesaid shall be authorised to call for and receive from the collector, all monies levied and assessed for their use in pursuance of this act, as soon as the same shall become payable by law; and in case the said collector shall refuse or neglect to pay the same, the said commissioners shall have the same remedy for recovering the same as is prescribed by the act, entitled, An act for the speedy recovery of monies levied or received by sheriffs and collectors, passed November session, seventeen hundred and ninety-seven. \*

To receive all monies collected.

\* Ch. 43.

6. AND BE IT ENACTED, That each of the commissioners aforesaid shall receive, as a compensation for his services, the sum of one dollar for every day he shall attend, or be engaged in consequence of the provisions of this act, and the same shall be assessed in the county levy, and collected and paid as other county charges.

Their allowance.

CHAP. LXXXVI.

*An Act for the support of Elizabeth Oden and Elizabeth Randal, of Montgomery County.* Lib. JG. No. 4, fol. 466. Passed Jan. 7, 1864

WHEREAS Elizabeth Oden and Elizabeth Randal, by their petitions to this general assembly have set forth, that they are very poor, and by their bodily infirmities are unable to support themselves by labour, and prayed that an act may pass for their support out of the poor-house; and the prayer of the petitioners appearing reasonable, therefore, Preamble.

2. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall and may be lawful for the trustees of the poor of the said county, if they shall be of opinion that the peculiar circumstances of the said Elizabeth Oden and Elizabeth Randal are such as to render their situation in the poor-house particularly unsuitable for them, to support them as out-pensioners in addition to the number May be supported as out-pensioners.