

CHAP. 32.

to said county, shall have full power and authority to appoint three commissioners to view said ground, and lay out a road, not exceeding thirty feet wide, in the straightest direction the ground will admit of, and have it surveyed, and plain plots made of the same, and return said plots to the levy court of the county aforesaid, under their hands; and said commissioners shall have full power to bargain and contract with any person or persons over whose land the said road may pass, or adjudge the damages any person or persons may sustain by the said road, and make a return of all contracts made by them for lands or damages adjudged by them by reason of opening said road, to the levy court, under their hands, and the said court may order the same to be recorded, or reject the same, or any part thereof; and the levy court shall levy on the assessable property of Washington county the expense of the commissioners for viewing and surveying said road; and if the levy court shall confirm the said road, agreeably to the return of said commissioners, and cause the same to be recorded, the levy court shall then appoint a supervisor or supervisors to clear and open said road, not exceeding thirty feet in width, and may levy the expense of said road upon the assessable property of Washington county; or should the levy court be of opinion that the public utility will not be promoted by the alteration in the direction of said road, as contemplated by the petitioners for such alteration, in that case the court shall have power to grant the change in the road as prayed for, the petitioners paying all damage and expense of said alteration; and then the levy court may confirm said road, and have it recorded; and it shall then be under the same rules and regulations as other roads are in Washington county.

CHAP. XXIII.

Passed Dec. 31.

An Act authorising the Levy Court of Allegany County to levy a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned. Lib. TH. No. 1, fol. 217.

Levy authorised for building a house for reception of records, &c.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the levy court of Allegany county be and they are hereby authorised to levy a sum of money, in one, two or three years, on the assessable property in said county, not exceeding twelve hundred dollars, for the purpose of building and preparing a house or public office or offices for the reception of the public papers and records of said county, and to contract with some person or persons for the building and completing said offices, which offices shall be built on the public ground belonging to said county, and appropriated to the use of the clerk of the county, and to that of the orphans court.

CHAP. XXIV.

Passed Dec. 31.

An Act for the relief of Samuel Jones, of the City of Baltimore. A Private Act. Lib. TH. No. 1, fol. 218.

CHAP. XXV.

Passed Dec. 31.

An Act to prevent the going at large of Swine in the Village of Hillsborough, in Caroline County, and other purposes therein mentioned. Lib. TH. No. 1, fol. 218.

Supplements, 1807, ch. 35, and 1810, ch. 109.

Whereas.

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, by the petition of a number of persons residing in the village of Hillsbo-