CHAP. XXVIII. " tain ——, and eftimated of the value of —— current money, to be delivered " to C. D. at ———, 'the premium paid, or to be paid ;" and the delivery of any goods may be proved by the receipt, or by the entry of the receipt of any goods, which fhall be produced on any trial, or by other legal evidence, and any money or goods may be retained until payment of the reward or premium allowed by this act; and no tax fhall be impofed on any ftage-carriage fet up, kept and employed, agreeably to this act, unlefs the faid public road fhall be made and eftablifhed by law a turnpike road.

To enter into bond, &c. VIII. And be it enacted, That the faid Robert Hodgfon and James Thompfon fhall, on or before the firft day of February next, enter into bond to the ftate, before the governor and council, with good and fufficient fureties, (fuch as they fhall approve) in the penalty of one thoufand pounds current money, with condition, that the faid Robert Hodgfon and James Thompfon, and the furvivor of them, his or their executors, adminiftrators or affigns, and his or their agents, fervants and drivers, refpectively, will truly and faithfully do and perform all things required of him or them by this act, during the term aforefaid; which bond any perfon may fue for any breach thereof, and in cafe fuit thereon fhall be brought, not more than one imparlance fhall be allowed, unlefs in cafes where the court, in difcretion, fhall think proper to continue the fame for the purpofe of bringing to iffue and trial the merits thereof.

On neglect of duty this act to be void, &c. IX. And be it enacted, That if the faid Robert Hodgfon and James Thompfon, or the furvivor of them, or their executors, adminiftrators or affigns, fhall refufe or wilfully neglect to perform any of the duties required of them or him by this act, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, to the prejudice and damage of the ftate, that in fuch cafe this act fhall be void, and the exclufive privilege and right granted by this act fhall ceafe and determine, and fcire facias may iffue out of the general court againft the faid Robert Hodgfon and James Thompfon, or the furvivor of them, or his or their executors, adminiftrators and affigns, fuggefting the caufe why this grant fhould ceafe and determine, and if the facts fuggefted fhall be found to be true, by a jury, (or the faid Robert Hodgfon and James Thompfon, or the furvivor of them, or his or their executors, adminiftrators or affigns, being duly fummoned, fhall refufe or neglect to appear or plead,) the court may give judgment, and thereupon this grant fhall ceafe and determine.

Provifo. X. Provided always, That nothing in this act contained, mentioned or expreffed, fhall be conftrued to grant or give to the faid Robert Hodgfon and James Thompfon, or the furvivor of them, or his or their executors, adminiftrators or affigns, any right or privilege to pafs upon or through the private roads or lands of any individual, without his confent, or to give him, them, or any of them, any right to the landing of Thomas Todd, or any other perfon at North Point aforefaid.

CHAP. XXIX.

An ACT for laying out a road from Samuel Owing's bridge, in the Garrifon Foreft, Baltimore county, to Nicholas Carroll's grift-mill, and from thence to Chefnut Ridge, until it interfects the road at the plantation formerly poffeffed by Peter Bond.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is reprefented to this general affembly, by the petition of fundry inhabitants of Baltimore county, that they labour under great inconvenience for want of a road from Samuel Owing's bridge, in the Garrifon Foreft of faid county, to Nicholas Carroll's grift-mill, and from thence to Chefnut Ridge, until it interfects the road at the plantation formerly poffeffed by Peter Bond; and it appearing reafonable to grant the petition,

Commiffioners appointed, &c. II. Be it enacted, by the General Affembly of Maryland, That Charles Carnan, Nathan Cromwell, and Charles Walker, or any two of them, be and are hereby appointed commiffioners, and are hereby authorifed to lay off a road from

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