Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That the commissioners afore- CHAP. 168. said, or a majority of them shall ascertain the damages Respecting damawhich any individual may sustain by reason of the said street being laid out and opened through his or her lots, which shall be paid or secured to be paid before the said

Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That the damages which may Levy on the county freeessary. &c. be ascertained as aforesaid, to be sustained by reason aforesaid, shall be paid or secured to be paid by the persons conceiving themselves interested in opening the said street, unless the Levy court of Worcester county shall be of opinion, that the opening thereof is of that public benefit so as to justify levying the same upon the county, in which case the damages ascertained to be sustained by the individuals through whose lots the said street may be opened, shall be levied upon the assessable property of the said county for the benefit of the owners of the said lots respec. tively.

Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That if the preceding sec. spence saley to be tions are carried into effect, then Spence's alley shall be disposed of at the discretion of the commissioners aforesaid, and the proceeds arising therefrom shall be applied towards defraying the expenses arising from the formation of the

street aforesaid.

street shall be opened.

Sec. 5. And be it enacted, That after the said street is street made public opened the same shall be deemed and taken as a public street forever thereafter.

## CHAPTER 168.

An act relating to Monument Street, in the City of Balti-Passed Mar. 8, 1834 more.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of If not opened in 1 Maryland, That unless Monument street, in the city of Baltimore, is opened and condemned, from Eutaw street to Ross Street, in the manner now provided for by law, within and during the present year; it shall and may be lawful to and for the owners and occupiers of the ground and premises embraced within said located limits, at any time after owners may close the expiration of the present year, to shut up and close the said part of the said Street, as though the same had never been located; provided always, that the owners and occupi-