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shall pay to the overseer of his hundred, the sum of seventy-five cents, for each and every day so refusing or neglecting, to be recovered by the said overseer, by judgment of any justice of the peace of said county, in the manner now provided by law, for the recovery of other small debts, and to be applied by the said overseer to the repairs of the aforesaid roads in his hundred.

Overseer's salary

Sec. 4. *And be it enacted*, That each overseer of the public roads to be appointed by virtue of this act, shall be allowed by the commissioners aforesaid in full compensation for his services the sum of sixteen dollars annually.

Remedy for Overseer's neglect

Sec. 5. *And be it enacted*, That in any case of any complaint to the commissioners aforesaid, against any of the overseers of the public roads aforesaid, charging any one of the said overseers with neglect or remissness in the execution of his duty, the said commissioners shall forthwith enquire into the same; and if it shall be made appear to the satisfaction of said commissioners or a majority of them, that said complaint or charge is just and well founded, then the said commissioners shall have power, and they are hereby authorised and required to deduct from the compensation allowed to the said overseer, such sum as to them shall seem just and proportionate to the degree of remissness or neglect, not exceeding eight dollars for any single offence, which sum so deducted shall be retained by the collector, subject to the future disposition by said commissioners for county purposes.

Only owners of carts and horse liable

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted*, That no person who does not own a cart or horse, shall be compelled to work on the said roads; and that all laws repugnant to, or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed, so far as the same relates to Calvert county.

Repealing clause

CHAPTER 32.

Passed Feb. 7, 1834 *An act for the relief of Samuel P. Smith and Reuben Worthington, of Allegany county.*

Preamble

WHEREAS, it is represented by the petition of Samuel P. Smith and Reuben Worthington, that they are owners of lot one hundred and ninety-six, in the Town of Cumberland, and that the buildings on said lot were consumed by