

1830. and Thomas Gale, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to survey, lay out, and open a road, not exceeding thirty feet in width, in the best and most straight direction, taking all circumstances into consideration, commencing at or near Bohemia Ferry, in Cecil county, running thence across Bohemia Manor to Back Creek, at or near Bohemia Village, thence by a bridge across the said creek to Chesapeake city, thence in a northerly direction until it intersects the road leading from Warwick to Elkton, all in said county; and the said road, when so opened, shall thereafter be deemed and taken to be a public road forever, and shall be kept in repair in the same manner as other public roads are directed to be kept in the said county; *Provided*, the commissioners for said county shall first decide that the said road is called for by the public convenience of said county, and would be a public benefit to the people thereof.

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Damages to be ascertained.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall value and ascertain the damage that may be sustained by any person or persons through whose land the said road may pass, taking into consideration the advantages and disadvantages, if any, and the damages so ascertained, shall be levied and assessed as other county charges are levied and assessed in said county.

Levy authorised.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the commissioners of Cecil county be and they are hereby authorised to levy on the taxable property of said county, a sum of money sufficient to make the said road, and build the said bridge, and satisfy the damages, if any, and pay the commissioners named in the first section of this act a fair and reasonable compensation for their services, not exceeding to each of them two dollars per day.

#### CHAPTER 44.

Passed Feb. 4. *An Act for the relief of William Clare, former Collector of the Tax for Calvert County.*

Authorised to collect tax.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That William Clare, former collector of the tax for Calvert county, be and he is hereby authorised and empowered to collect the tax levied by the levy court of Calvert county, in the years eighteen hundred nineteen,