

CHAP. 121.

Direction &c. prescribed

Plats

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Public road

Payment of expenses

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Damages

nitt, of Baltimore county be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners or a majority of them to survey, lay out and open a road not exceeding thirty feet in width, in the best and straightest direction, taking all circumstances into consideration; to start at Devilbess' mill, near the old liberty road, in Frederick county, and running by the nearest and most practicable rout to the end of the road recently laid out from Lisbon, in Anne Arundel county, past Reubin Warfield's store, on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, to the Piney Old Field in Baltimore county, and the said commissioners or a majority of them shall make out a plat of that part of the road through Frederick county, and return the same to the clerk of the court of Frederick county, to be recorded among the records of said county; they shall also in like manner make out a plat of that part of the road through Baltimore county, and return the same to the clerk of said county court to be recorded among the records of Baltimore county court, and the said road when so opened, shall be thereafter deemed a public road forever, and shall be kept in repair in the manner as other public roads are directed to be kept in said counties.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the expenses of surveying and opening that part of the road in Frederick county, shall be paid by Frederick county, the expenses of surveying and opening that part of the road in Baltimore county, by Baltimore county, and the Levy courts or commissioners of said counties as, the case may be, are hereby authorised and required on receiving from the commissioners appointed or a majority of them, an account on oath or affirmation of the said expenses, including an allowance of two dollars per day to the commissioners for every day they may be employed in the survey, location, and construction of said road, to levy the same on the assessable property of said counties respectively, to be collected as other county charges are now collected.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners or a majority of them shall value and ascertain the damages that may be sustained by any person or per-