through the buildings, gardens, yards or burial grounds of any person without the consent of the owner in writing.\*

## 1914, ch. 622, sec. 171K.

418. The owner or occupant of land abutting on any public road in Talbot County shall during the month of August, of each year, cut and remove all brush, briers and weeds growing in or upon such portion of such public roads as his or her lands abut, and in case such owner or occupant shall fail to perform the duty imposed hereby, the Board of County Commissioners shall cause such work to be done and the owner of such lands shall pay the expense thereof with cost to be recovered in an action upon contract before any Justice of the Peace of Talbot County, at the suit of the said Board of County Commissioners of said County.

## 1914, ch. 622, sec. 171L.

419. It shall be unlawful for any person to plow or cultivate across the ditches of any public road in Talbot County, so as to fill them in whole or in part or to break up the roadbed or any part thereof in any manner whatever. Any person violating this Section shall be fined the sum of five dollars for each and every offense and in addition thereto the County Commissioners shall cause such damage to be repaired and the owner of such lands shall pay the expense thereof with cost to be recovered in an action upon contract before any Justice of the Peace of Talbot County, at the suit of said Board of County Commissioners of said County.

## P. L. L., 1888, Art. 21, sec. 172. 1886, ch. 224.

420. It shall not be lawful to obstruct the public roads of Talbot County, by filling up the side ditches of said roads with logs, wood, rails, brush or any other materials, nor shall any person throw the trimmings of hedges, fence corners or brush from fallen trees, upon said roads or in said ditches, or make the said roads a place of deposit for cord-wood, logs or anything that does not belong to said road; and any person violating the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction of the same before any justice of the peace for Talbot County, he shall be fined a sum of not less than two nor more than ten dollars for each and every offence; which fine shall be collected as other fines and forfeitures are now collected, and when so collected shall be paid over to the county commissioners, by the officer collecting the same, within thirty days thereafter.

<sup>\*</sup>Sec. 2, ch. 638, 1912, reads as follows: All laws or sections or parts of all laws conflicting or inconsistent with any provision or provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed so far as the same or any of the same conflict with or are inconsistent with any provision of this act, saving and excepting Chapter 141 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland passed at the January Session, 1908, and the amendments thereto, and Chapter 225 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, 1904, and the amendments thereto, which said two last-mentioned acts and amendments thereto shall in no manner be repealed or amended by the passage of this act.