

## STREETS.

1927, ch. 109.

**248.** The Mayor and Councilmen of Frostburg are hereby authorized and empowered to close Oak Street in the City of Frostburg from its intersection with the alley in the rear of Maple Street, said alley being on the westerly side of the Frostburg State Normal School No. 2 in said city, to the intersection of said Oak Street with the alley on the rear of Centre Street, said alley being located on the easterly side of said school. And the Mayor and Councilmen of Frostburg may provide for ascertaining whether any and what amount in value of damages will be caused thereby to the owner or possessor of any property lying on or through which said Oak Street may pass which ought to be compensated, by the appointment of commissioners to assess the same and for assessing and levying, either generally on the whole assessable property within the city or especially on the property benefited, including State Normal School No. 2 property now owned by the State of Maryland, the whole or any part of the damages and expenses which will be incurred in closing said part of said street. The Mayor and Councilmen shall grant appeals to the Circuit Court for Allegany County from the decision of any commissioners or other persons appointed by virtue of any ordinances to ascertain the damage occasioned by the closing of said part of said street and for securing to the person injured the right, on application within thirty (30) days from the return of the report of the commissioners, to have decided by jury trial whether any, and what damage he has sustained; to provide for collecting and paying the compensation awarded to any person before said Oak Street shall be so closed, and to enact all ordinances from time to time necessary and proper to the exercise of the powers granted in this Act; provided that before the Mayor and Councilmen proceed to execute any of the powers vested in them by this Act, at least thirty (30) days' notice shall be given of any application which may be made to them for the passage of any such ordinance by such as they shall prescribe and by personal notice in writing served twenty (20) days before upon each property holder to be affected by the passage of the proposed ordinance, provided that said parties are residents of Maryland.

The powers herein conferred as to the closing of the hereinbefore described portion of Oak Street shall be exercised only in the event that the State of Maryland or the State Board of Education of Maryland shall secure additional land on the south side of the present school site for school purposes.

1922, ch. 14.

**249.** The Mayor and Councilmen of Frostburg are hereby authorized and empowered to close that part of all that certain alley located in the rear of Maple Street between Loo and Oak Streets, in the town of Frostburg, the said alley being on the westerly side of the property of the State Normal School No. 2 in said town, and also all that other certain alley