

ROADS.

1870, c. 427 adds the following :

234. From and after the passage of this act it shall not be lawful for any person, with or without the consent of the county commissioners, to erect a gate upon the public roads of Anne Arundel and Prince George's counties where there is not now a gate already erected ; and whenever a new road shall be opened as a public highway in either of said counties, the supervisor of the district shall cause all gates to be removed therefrom.

1870, c. 427, s. 1
Gates not to be
erected on pub-
lic roads.

235. Any person who shall violate the provisions of the preceding section shall pay a fine of twenty dollars, to be recovered by action of debt before a justice of the peace in the name of the county commissioners, to be applied to the road fund of the county, and any supervisor who shall fail or neglect to perform his duties under the provisions of this act shall forfeit and pay a fine of twenty dollars, to be recovered in the same manner and to be applied to said fund.

Ibid. s. 2
Penalty for vio-
lation.

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1870, c. 192 repeals 1868, c. 299 so far as the same relates to Anne Arundel county, and enacts the following :

236. The county commissioners of Anne Arundel county shall, during the month of May, eighteen hundred and seventy, or as soon thereafter as may be, lay out said county into convenient road districts, not to exceed thirty for the whole county, and shall appoint one supervisor of roads in each district, who shall be a resident of the road district for which he may be appointed, and who shall serve one year and until his successor shall be appointed.

1870, c. 192, s. 2.
Road districts
and supervi-
sors.

237. Whenever any person shall refuse to accept the appointment of supervisor, fifty days after notification thereof, he shall pay a fine of twenty dollars, to be recovered by action of debt, before a justice of the peace, in the name of the county commissioners of said

Ibid s 3.
Failure to ac-
cept appoint-
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