Effective.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect and be in force from and after the date of its passage.

Approved March 30, 1882.

Chapter 201.

AN ACT to authorize the Commissioners of Chestertown to open, widen or extend streets within the limits of said town.

Extend or widen.

agree.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Commissioners of Chestertown are hereby authorized, whenever in their judgment the public convenience requires it, to extend or widen any of the streets or alleys within the limits of said town, and to open such new streets as they may deem necessary.

Contract and

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for said commissioners to contract and agree with the owner or owners of property, through or over which a street is to be extended, widened or opened, for the amount of damages and advantages accruing to such owner, and to provide for the payment of the same.

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That whenever the said commissioners and owner of any such property cannot so agree, then said commissioners shall select some disinterested citizen of Kent county, and such owner shall select one disinterested citizen of Kent county, who, if they cannot agree, shall call in a third citizen of Kent county, and they shall visit the property to be effected by the proposed street, and assess the damages and advantages which may accrue to such property or the owner thereof, and they shall make their award in writing to said commissioners and to such owner, and either party may appeal from such award to the Circuit Court of Kent county, provided the opposite party be notified thereof within thirty days from the date of the award.

Disagreement -how settled.