

CHAP. 227.

7. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of every inspector of public roads, who shall have endorsed on a supervisor's account that the roads are not in good repair, and that the money has not been properly expended, to present the fact to the grand jury, and if the grand jury shall find a bill against the said supervisor, he shall be fined, at the discretion of the court, not less than five nor more than thirty dollars.

8. And be it enacted, That the levy court of Montgomery county shall meet annually on the second Monday in October to settle the accounts of supervisors.

9. And be it enacted, That if the levy court shall not meet on the second Monday in October in any year, as is hereby directed, that the clerk of Montgomery county shall appoint a day, within twenty days of the second Monday of October, for their meeting, to settle the accounts of the supervisors, and give notice thereof by publication in any newspaper published in said county.

10. And be it enacted, That the inspectors of public roads shall attend whenever the levy court shall meet to apportion the sums for the repair of the public roads among the several districts, and the said inspectors shall report to the said court the sums necessary for the repair of the roads in their several districts, and also the sum necessary for making and keeping in repair the bridges of their several districts.

11. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the levy court to furnish each supervisor with a list of the public roads of his district, designating to which district a road shall belong which is a dividing line between districts.

12. And be it enacted, That the levy court of Montgomery county shall levy for the repair of public roads, and the supervisors shall give bond in the same manner as is now required by law, and said levy court and supervisors shall in all things conform to the existing laws, where the same are not inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

CHAP. CCXXXVIII.

Passed Mar 12 1827 An Act to authorise Eliakim Littell to institute, carry on, and draw a Lottery, the Prizes in which shall consist of Works in Literature and Science..

Preamble

WHEREAS Eliakim Littell hath represented by his memorial that he proposes to publish a large collection of the standard works of literature and science, and to found in the United States one thousand public libraries, by giving to each state which shall assist him to carry his plan into execution a portion of that number of every book to be published by him in pursuance of this plan: And whereas the increase of and diffusion of knowledge, is the surest means of strengthening and perfecting the virtue, liberty and independence of this people, and promoting the happiness and best interests of the community at large; Therefore,

1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Eliakim Littell be authorised to sell by lottery, to be drawn under the direction of the commissioners of lotteries in such divisions or schemes as may be practicable and convenient, such books as he may publish from time to time in the pro-

Authorised to
sell by lottery
books, &c

Inspectors to re-
port to grand ju-
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Levy court to
meet annually

If they should not
meet on day ap-
pointed, clerk
shall name a day

Inspectors to re-
port, &c

Supervisors to be
furnished with a
list of roads

Levy for repair of
roads