

CHAP. 14. extend the roads mentioned in the act to which this is a supplement, any further than herein is proposed.

Road to be kept
in repair.

SEC. 2 *And be it enacted*, That when said bridge shall be built, and the road so laid out, and the same returned by the commissioners to the levy court of Caroline county, that the same shall thereafter be kept up as other roads are kept up in the county.

CHAPTER 15.

Passed January 18,
1823.

An additional supplement to the act entitled, An act concerning crimes and punishments, passed December session eighteen hundred and eighteen, chapter one hundred and fifty seven.

Free persons enticing slaves to run away subjected to indictment & confinement in the Penitentiary.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That if any free person shall entice, persuade or assist any slave or servant, knowing him or her to be such, to run away from his or her lawful owner or possessor, and such slave or servant, shall actually run away, or having harboured such run away slave or servant knowing him or her to be such, then such person shall be liable to indictment in the county court of the county where such offence shall have been committed, or in the city court of Baltimore, if such offence shall have been committed in the city of Baltimore, and upon conviction shall undergo a confinement in the Penitentiary not exceeding six years.

Slaves guilty of like offence to receive thirty-nine lashes.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That if any slave shall entice, persuade or assist any slave or servant, knowing him or her to be such, to run away from his or her owner, master or mistress, and such slave or servant shall actually run away, then such slave so enticing, persuading or assisting, shall upon conviction thereof before any justice of the peace of the county where such offence was committed, or before any justice of the peace of the city of Baltimore if the offence shall be committed within the limits of said city, shall be sentenced to receive thirty nine lashes for such offence.

Laws inconsistent herewith repealed.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That all such parts of the law, to which this is a supplement, as are inconsistent with the provisions herein contained, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 16.

Passed January 22,
1823.

An act to fix the compensation of Judges and clerks of elections in and for Dorchester County.

Compensation fixed.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the passage of this act, that Judges and clerks of elections respectively in and for Dorchester county, shall perform the duties required by law now in force, and shall be allowed, and entitled to receive for each election at which he shall attend, and for making the returns, the sum of three