

CHAP. 12.

CHAPTER 12.

Passed Jan. 21, 1835

An act to condemn a lot of land in the vicinity of the Town of Vienna, in Dorchester county, for the repairs of its streets &c. &c.

Preamble

WHEREAS, it is represented to this General Assembly by the petition of sundry citizens of the town of Vienna, Dorchester county, that they have commenced the improvement of the side walks and streets in said Town, but find their progress arrested for want of earth, and the town being so situated as to preclude the possibility of obtaining earth within the limits of said town, without endangering the health of its inhabitants, they pray a law may pass authorising the condemnation of a lot of land in the vicinity of said town:—Therefore,

Commissioners named

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That John Vincent, Beacham Ackworth, James A. Waddell, John Webster, and Joseph Stewart, or a majority of them are hereby appointed commissioners to locate, survey and condemn a lot of ground in the vicinity of the town of Vienna, in Dorchester county, and the said commissioners or a majority of them are hereby authorised and required, to survey, locate, and condemn said lot of ground in the vicinity of the town aforesaid, not to exceed one acre, for the use and benefit of the present commissioners of said town and their successors, to repair and keep in order the streets, side walks, &c. in said town: *Provided*, that the said lot of ground, as aforesaid surveyed, located and condemned, shall not interfere with or affect the yards, gardens, orchards or buildings of any person without the consent of the owner or owners thereof.

Location directed

Restriction

Plot—Record

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners shall cause to be made out, a plot and certificate of the lot of ground, as aforesaid surveyed, located and condemned, to be lodged in the clerks office of Dorchester county, there to remain in perpetual testimony of the aforesaid survey, location and condemnation.

Valuation and payment

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners or a majority of them shall value and assess the damages sustained by any person or persons, whose land may be affected by the aforesaid survey, location, and condemnation, and the damages so as aforesaid assessed, together with all other expenses, shall be forthwith paid by the present com-