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CHAPTER 294.

Passed Mar. 9,1835 An act authorising a Lottery to raise a sum of money to purchase a Fire Apparatus, and for the improvement of the Town of Bel Air, in Harford County.

Persons authorised

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall and may be lawful for Joseph Robinson, Stephen Jones, James Wallace, William B. Bond, Israel D. Maulsby, Thomas A. Hayes, William J. McIllianev, John Mckenny, Samuel Bradford, Henry Dorsey of Edward, Elijah J. Bond, Otho Scott, Aquilla P. Moores, Robert W. Holland, Alexander Norris, and Henry D. Gough, or a majority of them, to propose a scheme or schemes of a lottery, the drawing of such lottery to be completed within two years from the passage of this act, to raise a sum of money

To draw lottery

Dispose of tickets not exceeding six thousand dollars, and to sell and dispose of the tickets thereof; Provided, the said Joseph Robinson, Stephen Jones, James Wallace, William B. Bond, Israel D. Maulsby, Thomas A. Hayes, William J. McIlhinny, Samuel Bradford, Henry Dorsey of Edward, Elijah J. Boad, Otho Scott, Aquilla P. Moores, Robert W. Holland, Alexander Norris, and Henry D. Gough, or such majority of them as shall undertake to act under this law, shall, before the disposal of any ticket or tickets in said lottery, give their bond to the State of Maryland, in the penalty of twelve thousand

Bond required

dollars, to be approved by one of the judges of Harford County Court, conditioned that they will, within three months after the completion of the said drawing of said lottery, pay to the treasurer of the Western Shore of Maryland, Tax payable five per cent, upon the sum raised, and well and truly apply so much of the money arising from the sale of the tickets in said scheme or schemes, within six months after the drawing of said lottery shall commence, as will satisfy the

Pay prizes fortunate adventurers for prizes drawn by them, and after deducting the necessary expenses incurred in said lottery, shall, within two years from the completion of the drawing of said lottery, cause the balance of the money raised by Apply proceeds

said lottery, to be applied in improving and paving the streets in the Town of Bel Air, in said county, and purchasing such fire apparatus for the security of the public and other property in said town, as they may deem most expedient.

Record directed.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That Joseph Robinson, Stephen Jones, James Wallace, William B. Bond, Israel D.