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And whereas it is also represented to this general assembly, that if the present levy court of the said county had the power to reject, alter, change or confirm, the said road, it would be highly beneficial to the inhabitants of the said county; therefore,

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the justices of the levy court of Justices may Washington county be and they are hereby authorised and empowered to reject, alter, change or reject, &c. confirm, the said road, so as aforesaid confirmed by the former levy court, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to confirm, reject, alter or change, either of the said routs, as surveyed and laid out by the commissioners appointed under the act to which this is a supplement, or to lay out a new road in the direction aforesaid; and the justices of the levy court are authorised and empowered to appoint commissioners for any or either of the purposes aforesaid, which commissiers, when appointed, shall have all the powers, and be subject to all the limitations, given by the original act.

III. And BE IT ENACTED, That all the powers given to the supervisor or supervisors for the Powers anssaid road by the former levy court, be and the same are hereby suspended, and he or they shall pended, &c. not proceed to clear or open the said road, or any part thereof.

IV. And BE IT ENACTED, That the justices of the levy court be and they are hereby autho- Justices to rised to meet on the first Monday in February next, or at any time prior to the said first Monday in February next, and to make such adjournment as to them shall seem proper.

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## An ACT to correct a mistake in the act therein mentioned.

Passed 31st of Dec 1801.

THEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, by the petition of Richard Watts, of Preamble. Saint-Mary's county, that from two errors committed in the preamble of the act passed at November session, eighteen hundred, entitled, An act relating to the real estate of Elizabeth Watts, the objects contemplated thereby have been defeated; that the said preamble recited the sale of two tracts of land, when there was but one, called Brick Kilns and Park's Addition joined with Addition, and that the said tract contained fifty acres more or less;

II. BE IT ENACTED, That from and after the passage of this act, the chancellor shall have as Chancellor full and competent power to act under the said law as if no such mistake had happened.

## An ACT respecting the proceedings on a commission issued out of Passed 31st of Dec. 1801. Prince-George's county court concerning a tract of land called Part of Good Luck.

THEREAS it has been represented to this general assembly, by the petition of Edward Wil- Preamble. let, of Prince-George's county, that a certain Rebecca Hall, of the county aforesaid, died seized of a tract of land lying in said county, and known by the name of Part of Good Luck, containing one hundred and eighty-eight acres; that a commission issued from the court of the said county, in conformity to the directions of the act of assembly, entitled, An act to direct descents; that under the aforesaid commission the said land was exposed to public sale, when a certain James A. Magruder became the ostensible purchaser, when in fact he was bidding for the aforcsaid Edward Willet: And whereas it is also stated, that the aforesaid James A. Magrader was returned by the said commissioners to the court of the county aforesaid as the purchaser of the aforesaid land, and that the court were of opinion that they were not authorised to send back the said commission for correction, and that it remains filed in said court unconfirmed: And whereas it is further stated, that the representatives of the aforesaid Rebecca Hall are very numerous, and live, some in the commonwealth of Virginia, and others in different counties of this state; that other difficulties, arising from the non-age of some of said representatives and the right of dower in others, renders it impracticable to procure deeds from all the said representatives: And whereas it is proved by the affidavit of the said James A. Magruder, that he purchased the said land at the particular request of, and for the use of, the said Edward Willet, and that all payments for the said land have been made by the said Willet: And whereas the said Edward Willet hath prayed that an act may pass authorising the return of the said commissioners to be corrected; therefore,

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the county court of Prince- Cour George's county shall be and they are hereby empowered and directed, at their next April term, quire