

CHAP. 202. ground, in Quantico, in Somerset county, and that Eleanor Bounds, widow of John Bounds, and mother of said infant children, is desirous of selling said lot of ground for the better support of the children. Therefore,

May sell.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Eleanor Bounds, widow of the said John Bounds, and mother of said infant children, be and she is authorised and empowered to sell and convey, under the the direction of the Orphan's Court, said lot of ground, upon such terms as the said court may prescribe, having regard to the interest of the said infant children.

Court may allow according to scale.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said Orphan's Court may, and they are hereby authorised, to allow to the said Eleanor Bounds, such proportion of the said purchase money in lieu of her dower, as is now allowed by the scale used by Somerset County Court in Chancery cases.

CHAPTER 202.

Passed March 1, 1844.

An act to open a road through Howard District and Carroll County.

Commissioners.

SECTION 1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly Maryland,* That William Yohn and Jonathan Dorsey of Carroll county, and Ephraim Hobbs of Howard District, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to lay out and open a road, not exceeding twenty feet in width and over the most advantageous route from the Lisbon and Woodbine road, near the ford over the Patapsco Falls, in Howard District, passing up Gillis's Falls, so far as said commissioners may deem expedient, and upon the north side thereof, to the lands of Christopher Lederar, and then on the best and most practicable route to intersect the Harrisville road in Carroll county, at or near the stone bridge on said road in Penns lane, and the said commissioners or a majority of them, shall cause a plat to be made of that part of the road in Howard District, and return the same to the clerk of the court of Howard District, to be recorded; they shall in like manner make out a plat of that part of said road in Carroll county, and return the same to the clerk of said county for record, and the said road when so opened, shall be thereafter a public road forever, and shall be kept in repair as other public roads are in said district and county.

Expense how to be paid.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the expenses of locating and opening that part of said road in Howard District,