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of said roads so placed under their charge, in good condition for the use and passage of all carriages of pleasure or burthen, and that if any section of said roads shall be suffered to reman in an impassable, inconvenient or dangerous condition for the space of fifteen successive days, it shall be and hereby is made the duty of any justice of the peace of said county, on complaint made to him, by any person or on his own view thereof, to summon the contrator having charge of said section, before him, and examine into the circumstances of such default, and impose such fine on him not exceeding fifty dollars, as he shall think right.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That if the levy court shall be unable to let out within a reasonable time, after notice given, any portion of said roads, in the manner herein before provided, and upon such terms as they may deem advantageous to the county, then they shall provide for the repair thereof in the manner now used and practiced.

On failure to rent, then to keep in repair.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That all laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

Repealed

CHAPTER 205.

*An act to authorise Christian Keener and Isaac Tyson jr., to close up Asbury street.* Passed March 1, 1844.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Christian Keener, Isaac Tyson and others, property holders and petitioners therefor, are hereby authorised and empowered to close up a narrow street, called Asbury street, extending from Baltimore street to Pratt street, and between Republican and Calhoun streets, in the city of Baltimore, and they are hereby vested with full right, title and interest, in and to the bed of the said Asbury street, in just and equal proportions to their respective adjacent interests, the said Asbury street, being altogether useless; *provided nevertheless*, that they shall give at least two months notice, of their intention so to do; in at least two of the public prints, once a week, and no objection being made thereto.

Authorised to close up said road.

Proviso.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted further*, That this law shall be referred to the mayor and city council of Baltimore; and who on the usual application of the said petitioners, and the usual notice through the public prints, the said mayor and city council, may proceed to close up said Asbury street, in the same way as made and provided for, by an

Referred to Mayor and City Council.