

CHAP. 175.

CHAPTER 175.

Passed Mar. 17, 1838. *An act to authorise the condemnation of a piece of ground at the Upper Ferry, in Somerset county.*

Commissioners
to examine
and ascertain

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the commissioners of Somerset county are hereby authorised and required to appoint three commissioners, who shall be required to meet at the place commonly called the Upper Ferry, on the Wicomico river, in Somerset county, to examine and determine whether the public convenience does require that a public landing should be established on the north side of Wicomico river, at the Upper Ferry, and if in their opinion the public convenience does require the said landing to be established, then they or any two of them shall lay out a quantity of land not exceeding one acre, at or near the place above specified, in such a manner as they or any two of them may think most conducive to the public benefit, and the said commissioners or any two of them, are hereby required to return a plat of said landing place to the clerk of Somerset county, there to be recorded, together with an estimate of the damage sustained by any person or persons whose land may be taken, laid out and appropriated as aforesaid.

Empowered to
locate

Return plat

Damages

Estimate of
costs

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the commissioners herein before required to be appointed to condemn and locate said landing, are hereby required to return a true estimate of the costs of such condemnation and location of the aforesaid lot of ground or landing, to the commissioners of Somerset county, whose duty it shall be to levy the same on the assessable property of Somerset county, at the first annual levy thereafter, to be collected as other county levies are now collected and paid to the person or persons entitled to receive the same.

Levy directed