

CHAP. 114. and empowered to collect, until the first day of May, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, all fines, forfeitures, amercements, officers' fees, county charges, and public dues, which were placed in his hands for collection, and which have not been collected, in the same manner that he could or might have done within the time limited by law.

## CHAPTER 113.

Passed Feb. 16, 1850. *An act to authorise the Commissioners of Somerset County to condemn a certain piece of ground in said County.*

To condemn land. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the commissioners of Somerset county are hereby authorised and required to condemn from forty to sixty feet of ground, in addition to that already condemned, for the building of a new causeway and wharf to the one already built at Punccheon Landing, on the Pocomoke river.

Notice to be given. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said commissioners are hereby authorised and required to condemn the above mentioned ground, and the said commissioners shall give notice, in the Somerset Herald, at least twenty days, for the letting out the building of said wharf and causeway, to the lowest bidder, and the said commissioners are hereby authorised to levy a tax upon the assessable property of said county, for building the same.

## CHAPTER 114.

Passed Feb. 13, 1850. *An act Incorporating the Maryland Institute for the promotion of the Mechanic Arts.*

Incorporated, &c. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the members of the Maryland Institute for the promotion of the Mechanic Arts, and all those who shall hereafter become members, shall be, and are hereby incorporated and created a body politic,

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