

ing or widening of an old road, the levy court may appoint 3 persons, not related to such claimant, nor interested in the claim as commissioners, to value, on oath or affirmation, such damages; and any sum agreed on by any two of such commissioners, may be the damages allowable, and paid, if the levy court, and those claiming, shall approve thereof; and if those claiming shall not be content, and shall insist for a valuation by jury, then should the valuation of a jury not exceed the valuation so before made, the person or persons so claiming damages shall pay the expense of such valuation by jury, and the sheriff may compel payment thereof by distress; and said commissioners shall each be allowed a sum not exceeding 10s. for each day so employed.—*ibid.* § 4, 6.

45. So much of the 7th § of the original act (*See above* Art. 6.) as directs the several supervisors to give bond, with security, is repealed, as to Baltimore county, and instead thereof, every supervisor shall, within 30 days next after his appointment, give bond to the state of Maryland, with such sureties as shall be approved by the clerk of the said county, who shall take the same, in double the sum that may be apportioned by the levy court to be expended or laid out by the said supervisor; but no security shall be approved by the clerk of said county, unless it be established, to the satisfaction of such clerk, that each and every such surety be possessed, in his own right, of a clear freehold estate of the value of double the sum apportioned.—1797, c. 109, § 1.

46, 47. One fourth of the justices of Baltimore county shall constitute a quorum, to do and perform all matters and things which by the said original act, and supplements, the justices, or a majority of them were authorized to do, and the 3 and 4 § of the original act, is repealed, so far as they relate to Baltimore county.—*ibid.* § 2, 3.

48. So much of the 5 § of the original act as requires an application in writing, signed by two-thirds of the inhabitants of any hundred or hundreds, as to Baltimore county, repealed, and the levy court may proceed as in the said section is directed, upon an application in writing signed by a number of respectable inhabitants of such hundred or hundreds.—*ibid.* § 4.

49. In all cases where the levy court of said county, shall issue an order to the collector to pay any supervisor any money under the original law, and supplements, the said levy court shall specify in such order the day or days for the payment; and in case of his neglect or refusal, the said supervisor shall, within 5 days thereafter, under the penalty of 20 dollars, give notice thereof to the clerk of the county, who shall, within 10 days thereafter, give notice to the justices of said county to meet, which levy court, shall issue an execution against the said collector, out of said county court, for the sum so due from the said collector, in
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