

may be subscribed for the purpose of laying out and clearing the said roads, and such subscribers are hereby directed to pay their several subscriptions to the treasurer appointed as aforesaid; and if any person shall refuse or neglect to pay his subscription money, the said treasurer, or any of the said commissioners in the name of the whole, may and is hereby authorized to sue for, recover and receive, the same; and the said monies, when received, shall be applied by the said commissioners, or any two of them, to the purposes of this act.

IV. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the commissioners aforesaid shall ascertain and value what damages may be sustained by persons through whose lands the said roads may pass, by occasion thereof, and in case any proprietor or proprietors, or their guardian or trustee, shall conceive themselves aggrieved by the valuation of the commissioners of the damages to be sustained by opening the said road through their land, that it shall and may be lawful for any justice of the peace for Anne-Arundel county, on application for that purpose by any person interested, to issue his warrant under hand and seal, directed to any constable of said county, commanding him to summon five freeholders to appear on a day by him to be appointed on the land aforesaid, who on oath shall estimate and value the said damages, and return the same to the said justices of the peace aforesaid, which valuation, so made and returned, shall be conclusive, and the party or parties in whose favour the said valuation shall be made, shall be entitled to receive the same from the said commissioners, and which shall be paid by the said commissioners, within six months after the said valuation, out of the subscription money received and collected, to the person or persons, or his, her or their guardian or guardians, suffering such injury and damage.

And ascertain  
damages, &c.

By November, 1787, ch. 4, the mode of ascertaining the damages is altered, being by a jury of twelve, to be summoned by the sheriff, &c.

V. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said roads shall not go through any orchard, garden or meadow, unless by and with the consent of the owner thereof.

Not to go thro'  
orchards, &c.

## C H A P. III.

An ACT to make valid the proceedings of the commissioners of the tax for Dorchester county. Lib. TBH. No. B. fol. 190.

Passed 15th of  
May, 1787.

## C H A P. IV.

An ACT for the more effectual remedy to extinguish fire in Baltimore-town. Lib. TBH. No. B. fol. 191.

By 1796, ch. 68, the corporation is empowered to establish and regulate fire wards and fire companies, and an ordinance having passed on the subject, this act has ceased to have any operation.

## C H A P. V.

An ACT to enable John De Butts to devise lands to his relations on the condition therein mentioned. Lib. TBH. No. B. fol. 192. A Private Act.

## C H A P. VI.

An ACT to invest Sarah Marshall with power to convey the land therein mentioned. Lib. TBH. No. B. fol. 193. A Private Act.

## C H A P. VII.

An ACT for the relief of William Marsh Catrup, late collector of the taxes for Talbot county. Lib. TBH. No. B. fol. 194. A Private Act.

## C H A P. VIII.

An ACT for the relief of Jane Nicols. Lib. TBH. No. B. fol. 195. A Private Act.

## C H A P. IX.

An ACT to revive and make valid the proceedings of the vestry of Saint-Peter's parish, in Talbot county. Lib. TBH. No. B. fol. 196.

## C H A P. X.

An additional supplement to the act \* to prevent the exportation of unmerchantable tobacco. Lib. \* 1785, ch. 61. TBH. No. B. fol. 197.

Expired, with the principal act, at the end of the session of November, 1783.

## C H A P. XI.

An ACT to ascertain the allowance to the members of the general assembly to defray the expences of their attendance. Lib. TBH. No. B. fol. 199.

This act was to continue three years, &c. Continued by 1790, ch. 59, to 30th October, 1797; but repealed by 1791, ch. 51.

C H A P.