

road from Frederick-town towards George-town to the line of Montgomery county; one other road from the termination of the last mentioned road to George-town; one other road from George-town to the mouth of Monocacy, and from the mouth of Monocacy to the court-house in said county; and one other road from Elizabeth-town (e) to the Pennsylvania line, in Nicholson's Gap.

(e) The part of this act directing the road to be laid out from Elizabeth-town to the Pennsylvania line, in Nicholson's Gap, is repealed by 1798, ch. 32.

All those parts of this and the 3d clause which relate to laying out, freighting and amending, the public roads in Frederick county, and appointing commissioners thereon, are repealed by 1791, ch. 82, section 6.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That Richard Snowden Thomas, Thomas Maffett and Jacob Hollingworth, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the first afore-mentioned road in Cæcil county, and Robert Milligan, Edward Oldham and Samuel Glenn, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the second road in Cæcil county afore said; that John Ellicot, Robert Long and Nicholas Randall, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the third afore-mentioned road; that James Beatty, Abraham Huff and Robert Cummings, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the fourth afore-mentioned road; that Joseph Swearingen, Peter Bainbridge and Benjamin Beckwith, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the fifth afore-mentioned road; that Conrod Hogmire, Philip Erhard and Daniel Winders, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the sixth afore-mentioned road; that William Runner, Barton Garet and John Hillary, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the seventh and thirteenth afore-mentioned roads; that Conrod Nicodemus, Jonas Hogmire and William Van Lear, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the eighth afore-mentioned road; that Ludwick Young, William Lee and Joseph Sprigg, junior, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the ninth and seventeenth afore-mentioned roads; that Martin Karsner, Denton Jacques and Rezin Davis, be and are appointed commissioners on the tenth afore-mentioned road; that Conrod Duddero, Joseph Wood and Michael Boyer, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the eleventh afore-mentioned road; that William Hobbs, Nicholas Hall and William Ballinger, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the twelfth afore-mentioned road; that Thomas Sprigg, Roger Johnson and Thomas Darnall, be and are hereby appointed commissioners on the fourteenth afore-mentioned road; that Henry Brookes, Walter Clagett and Benjamin Edwards, for the fifteenth and sixteenth afore-mentioned roads.

Commissioners, appointed.

By 1795, ch. 28, other commissioners are appointed to lay off part of the sixteenth road.

IV. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the justices of the said several counties of Cæcil, Montgomery, Frederick (f) and Washington, in their respective courts sitting, (except Baltimore county court,) to be held next after the first day of March next, and thereafter in the last court of the year annually, shall levy a sum of money not exceeding the sum of three shillings and nine-pence current money on every hundred pounds worth of assessable property in each of the said counties, except in Montgomery county, and the justices of Montgomery county shall levy a sum of money not exceeding two shillings current money on every hundred pounds worth of assessable property in said county, to be collected in the same manner, at the same times, and by the same persons, as other county taxes are collected, and shall be paid quarter yearly into the hands of supervisors, to be appointed in manner herein after mentioned; provided, that no property in Frederick county subject to be taxed for the purpose of repairing the streets and alleys in Frederick-town, shall be subject to be taxed under this law, further than a sum which, being added to the tax afore said, will amount in the whole to the sum of three shillings and nine-pence current money.

Justices to levy money, &c.

(f) By 1791, ch. 82, section 5, the justices of the peace in Frederick and Washington counties are vested with the powers given by this act to the justices of the county courts; and by section 8 of the said act, such parts of this clause as direct the county courts to levy money, &c. are repealed.

V. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the commissioners to be appointed as afore said for each of the roads afore said, or a majority of them, (except for Baltimore county,) shall, within four months after the first day of January next, lay out, survey, mark and bound, the roads for which they are respectively appointed, of the width of sixty feet, and in as direct and advantageous a manner as the nature of the grounds, and legal restrictions, will admit of, and, without delay, shall execute, sign and seal, plain plots of the same, with explicit explanations thereof, and such plots and explanations shall return to the justices of the said several counties at or before the several courts to be held next after the first day of March next; and if the justices in court sitting, or a majority of them, shall approve such surveys, plots and explanations, the same shall be recorded among the land records of the county wherein the roads shall lie, in testimony of the same being established by law, but if the same be disapproved, the commissioners shall resurvey, and make such alterations and improvements therein as the said justices shall require, and upon the same being amended, returned and approved, the same shall be recorded as afore said.

Commissioners to lay out roads, &c.