

levy, at their next levy court, a sum of money not exceeding six hundred pounds, with a commission of six per cent. for collecting the same; which said sum, to be so assessed and levied, shall be collected by the sheriff of said county from the inhabitants thereof, and others having property therein, in the same manner as other public dues are collected.

C H A P.
XXXVIII.

II. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the commissioners for erecting the court-house and gaol in the county aforesaid, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorized, on the twentieth day of October, seventeen hundred and ninety-two, to call on the sheriff of said county to pay the sum so levied, which the said commissioners, or a majority of them, are hereby authorized to receive, and to give an acquittance therefor, and apply the same, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to complete said court-house and gaol.

Commissioners
to call on the
sheriff, &c.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That each commissioner, for every day he shall necessarily attend on the duty of his appointment, shall be allowed a sum not exceeding seven shillings and six-pence, to be ascertained and allowed by the justices aforesaid, at their levy court annually, until the said court-house and gaol shall be completed, to be levied on the county, and collected as other public dues.

Their allow-
ance.

IV. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said commissioners shall lay before the justices of the peace of the county aforesaid, at their levy court annually, a fair and distinct account of all the monies by them received and expended for the purpose aforesaid, and the surplus, if any, after completing the buildings aforesaid, shall be applied towards defraying the county charges.

Account to be
rendered, &c.

C H A P. XXXIX.

An ACT for the relief of John Smith Brookes, of Prince-George's county, one of the securities of Thomas Williams, late collector of the public taxes in said county. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 424. A Private Act.

Passed 27th of
Dec. 1791.

C H A P. XL.

An ACT to empower the trustees of James Scott to execute and acknowledge the conveyance therein mentioned. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 425. A Private Act.

See November, 1782, ch. 16.

C H A P. XLI.

An ACT to enable the inhabitants of Durham parish, in Charles county, to elect vestrymen and churchwardens for said parish. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 427.

C H A P. XLII.

An ACT for the benefit of John Sewell. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 427. A Private Act.

C H A P. XLIII.

An ACT to enable the inhabitants of Stepney parish, in Somerset county, to elect vestrymen and churchwardens for said parish. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 428.

C H A P. XLIV.

An ACT to lay off a road from New-Market, in Kent county, to Isaac Perkins's mill, in said county. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 429.

WHEREAS sundry inhabitants of Kent county have petitioned the general assembly for laying off a public road in the most convenient direction from New-Market, in the said county, to Isaac Perkins's mill,

Preamble.

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That John Lambert Wilmer, John Maxwell, Mark Alexander Cox, Nathaniel Comegys and John Browning, or any three of them, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, to lay off and open a road from New-Market aforesaid to Isaac Perkins's mills aforesaid, if they shall determine one necessary, in the most convenient direction, of the same width as other public roads in the said county; and the said road, when so laid out, opened, cleared and completed, shall be recorded among the records of Kent county court, and be thereafter deemed to be a public road, and shall be kept in repair in the same manner as other public roads in the said county are kept in repair.

Persons ap-
pointed to lay
out a road, &c.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the commissioners aforesaid, or any three of them, shall ascertain the value and determine, the damage done and sustained by any person or persons through whose land the said road may pass, by laying off and opening the road aforesaid, and make their return thereof,

And ascertain
damages, &c.