

his or her assessment, and the same shall be payable to the said bailiff, by every such person, within the term of twenty days after rendering such account, and if not then paid, it shall be lawful for the said bailiff, and he is hereby required, to proceed to the collection thereof, if necessary, by seizure and sale of the goods or chattels of every person refusing or delaying to pay such assessment; and the said bailiff shall account for the amount of such assessment with the said commissioners, at or before the end of two months after the receipt of every such list of assessment, and pay the sums collected, under the penalty of ten pounds current money.

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LXVI.

XXIII. And be it enacted, That the several penalties and forfeitures which may be incurred by any person in virtue of this act, shall be recovered before any justice of the peace of the said county, upon the complaint and oath, or affirmation, of one competent and credible witness, and shall and may be levied by commitment of the offender in execution to the sheriff of the said county until payment of the penalty and fees, or by process in the nature of a *feri facias*, directed to the bailiff of the said town, for levying the same by seizure and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender; and the fees to the bailiff shall be the same as are or may be allowed by law to the sheriffs for executing a writ of *feri facias*; and the said penalties and forfeitures, and all monies arising by virtue of this act, shall be accounted for by the officer or persons collecting or receiving the same to the said commissioners, and be applied by them to the repair and support of the market-house in the said town, and in providing, ordering and repairing, the scales, weights and engines, herein before mentioned, or otherwise, in their discretion, to such other purposes as may improve or concern the regulations of the said town, and the market thereof, as established by this act.

How penalties, &c. are to be recovered, &c.

XXIV. And be it enacted, That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall and they are hereby authorized to lay out and regulate anew the said town, as near as can be by the original plot thereof; being authorized, however, to omit to open such streets, lanes or alleys, appearing in the original plot, as they may think unnecessary and useless to the said town, and shall have full power and authority to extend the limits of the said town as shall appear necessary to them, and to lay out any new streets, lanes or alleys, as to them may seem proper and necessary for the better regulation and convenience of the said town, or its inhabitants, always taking care to interfere as little as possible with any improved property in the said town, or on the grounds over which the said new streets, lanes or alleys, may run; and the ground so taken away by any such streets, lanes or alleys, shall be valued and paid for as aforesaid; and the said commissioners shall cause to be made out a fair and correct plot of the said town by the surveyor of the county, and shall lodge the same in the clerk's office of the said county, for the inspection of any person who may be desirous of seeing or examining the same.

Commissioners to lay out the town anew, &c.

C H A P. LXVII.

A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act to streighten and amend the public roads in Harford county, and for other purposes.

Passed December 28.

WHEREAS the commissioners appointed by the act to which this is a supplement did not lay out, survey, mark and bound, the several public roads in the said act mentioned, but left many of the same incomplete, by reason of their powers ceasing by law before they could effectuate the same: And whereas also a very considerable expence has been already incurred, which expence will be totally lost unless relief be had in the premises; therefore,

Preamble.

II. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the justices of the levy court in Harford county be and they are hereby empowered and directed to appoint, by warrant under their hands, three persons, freeholders and residents in the county, to lay out, survey, mark and bound, such of the aforesaid roads in the said act intended to be laid out as aforesaid, and to finish and complete the same, as to the said justices, or a major part of them, shall be considered necessary to be laid out, completed and finished; which said persons, so appointed as aforesaid,

Justices to appoint three persons, &c.