

poses, as if the said bond had been taken on the thirty-first day of December, eighteen hundred and four.

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A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act to extend the powers of the levy court of Allegany county relative to roads in said county.

Passed January 19, 1805.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the justices of the levy court of Allegany county be and they are hereby authorised and empowered, to order and direct the supervisor or supervisors of the public roads in Allegany county to improve, and keep in good repair, the whole or any part of any public road or roads in said county, and to apportion the money and labour to the said road or roads, or parts thereof, as the case may be, and when such order shall be made, the road or roads, or parts thereof, shall be kept in repair agreeably to the provisions of the act of assembly in such case made and provided for Allegany county; provided nevertheless, that if any person shall consider himself aggrieved by any such order of the justices of the levy court, it shall and may be lawful for such person to appeal from any such order or determination of the justices aforesaid to the justices of the county court, within twelve months thereafter, and the opinion of the said county court shall be final and conclusive on the same.

Justices to order the supervisors, &c.

II. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the levy court of Allegany county be and they are hereby authorised and empowered to levy a sum of money, not exceeding two hundred dollars, for the purpose of digging a well, and that they contract with some person or persons for the digging, completing and finishing the same, making choice of such spot on the public grounds adjacent to the court-house as in their judgment will be most suitable and proper.

Court to levy money, &c.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That this act, and the original act to which this is a supplement, shall be in force until the thirtieth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seven, and to the end of the next session of assembly which shall happen thereafter.

Duration.

C H A P. LXXXII.

An ACT to erect a town in Talbot county, by the name of Saint-Michael's, and to appoint commissioners.

Passed January 19, 1805.

WHEREAS it hath been set forth by the petition of sundry inhabitants of Talbot county, that the village now known by the name of Saint-Michael's, in the said county, has considerably increased in the number of houses and inhabitants, and have prayed that the said village may be erected into a town, according to the ancient metes and bounds thereof, and of the land adjoining thereto, as laid down in a plot annexed to said petition; and the prayer of the petitioners appearing reasonable, therefore,

Preamble.

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Robert Dodson, John Dourgan, James Bordley, Impey Dawson and Thomas L. Haddaway, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, who, or a majority of them, shall and are authorised and directed to resurvey the grounds and lots within the village of Saint-Michael's, in Talbot county, and to perpetuate the lines and bounds thereof; that is to say, as well of those lands or grounds laid off by a certain James Braddock, on or about the year seventeen hundred and seventy-eight, for the purposes of a town, by the name of Saint-Michael's, as aforesaid, or those grounds or lots which were laid off or sold by a certain John Thompson, (heir and representative of the aforesaid Braddock,) on or about the year seventeen hundred and eighty-three, for the same purpose; and the said commissioners are hereby directed to resurvey and establish, by stone boundaries, or such other as they shall consider good and durable, all lots, squares, streets, lanes, ways and alleys in the said town, agreeably to the old location thereof, as made at the time of the first laying off those grounds, or as nearly so as they can, and to give to the said squares, streets, lanes, ways and alleys, such distinguishing names as they may think proper; and the commissioners are hereby further authorised and directed to lay off into lots, streets, ways, lanes and alleys, such other grounds or lands conceded for such purposes as shall be contained within the limits herein after prescribed, and the same to number and name as aforesaid.

Commissioners appointed, &c.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the bounds and limits of the said town shall be as follows, viz. Beginning at a stone set down by the side of a cove of Saint-Michael's river, and running south, sixty-six degrees fifteen minutes west, to a branch of Broad creek, then up and with the said Broad

Bounds ascertained, &c.