

rant, one copy of their valuation in each case, one other copy to the president of the company, and one other copy to the owner or owners of the said lands, and the president of the Baltimore and Reister's-town turnpike road company shall pay, or cause to be paid, such sum in each case to the person in whose behalf such valuation shall be made, and in case of neglect or refusal by the president of said company, suit may be brought against the president of the said company by action of debt for recovery thereof by the person entitled to receive the same.

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III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the justice of the peace, and sheriff, shall be entitled to receive the same fees for services performed under this act as they are allowed in similar cases, and the persons summoned as jurors to value the damages or injury sustained as aforesaid, shall each receive one dollar for every day he shall attend in the discharge of his duty for that purpose, which fees and allowance shall be paid either by the president of the company or the person or persons named in this act, as the case may be, against whom the judgment of the jury aforesaid may be adjudged.

IV. AND BE IT ENACTED, That if the president and managers of the aforesaid company shall produce to the jurors, summoned to value the damages, an instrument of writing, under the hand of either of the complainants, or such other testimony as shall satisfy them, or a majority of them, that such road was located and made over the lands or farms with the consent and approbation of the owner or owners thereof, then they shall not find any damages in the case, except for costs against such complainant or complainants.

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An ACT for the relief of Charles Wallace.

Passed Decem-
ber 25, 1810.

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, that Charles Wallace, of Annapolis, sometime in the year eighteen hundred and three, executed a deed to a certain John Muir, (now dead,) for lot No. thirty-six, lying and being in the city of Annapolis, which deed, though purporting to be an absolute conveyance, was designed to be in trust for the said Charles Wallace; that in the year seventeen hundred and ninety-seven, the said John Muir made his last will and testament, and thereby devised all his estate, both real, personal and mixed, to a certain John Murray, physician of Augusta, but the said will being antecedent to the deed, the said lot did not pass by the said will; and there being no person in this country who can inherit the estate of John Muir, a certain Robert Denny issued an escheat warrant for the said lot or parcel of ground, for the benefit of the said Charles Wallace, and assigned it over to him, and the devisee of John Muir being willing to relinquish his right; therefore,

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all the right, title, interest and claim, which the state of Maryland may have in and to lot No. thirty-six in the city of Annapolis, be and the same is hereby relinquished and released to the said Charles Wallace, and his heirs, for ever, on the return of the certificate of the survey made in virtue of the said escheat warrant, and on the payment for any vacant land that may be included in the survey, and on the certificate having been examined and laid in the land-office the time prescribed by law, the said Charles Wallace, his heirs or assigns, shall be entitled to obtain a patent thereon, in the same manner, and to have the same effect, as if the purchase money on the estate had been paid to the state, any law to the contrary notwithstanding; provided nevertheless, that nothing herein contained shall affect the right of any other person to the said land:

C H A P. CXLIII.

A Supplement to the Act, entitled, An Act authorising a Lottery for raising a sum or sums of Money for the purpose of erecting a Building to be called The Baltimore Female Academy.

Passed Decem-
ber 25, 1810.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That William Sinclair, William Ross, Ezekiah Price, John S. Hollins, Charles Robinson, Jacob Myers, Samuel Sterett, Robert Barry, William Steuart, Thomas Sheppard, William Jackson, Benjamin Fowler, James Biays, William Norris, Robert C. Long and James Wilson, be and they are hereby appointed managers of the lottery authorised by the act to which this is a supplement, in lieu of William Sinclair, William Ross, John Price, Thomas E. Bond, John S. Hollins, Solomon Betts, Charles Robinson, Baltzer Shæffer, Jacob Myers, Samuel Sterett, Robert Barry, Peter Little and William Steuart, the managers in said act named, to do and perform the duties, and to comply with the bond or obligation therein described, in the same manner as if named and appointed in the said original act.