

gates shall choose one director of said bank on the part of the state ; and when the state becomes a stockholder to the amount of thirty thousand dollars, the state shall be entitled to two directors, one to be chosen by the senate, the other by the house of delegates.

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26. AND BE IT ENACTED, That this act shall continue in force until the expiration of the year eighteen hundred and fifteen, and until the end of the next session of assembly which shall happen thereafter.

This act shall continue in force.

CHAPTER 194.

*A further Supplement to the act entitled, An act to lay out a Road therein mentioned.*

Passed Jan. 7, 1812.

WHEREAS, It has been represented to this General Assembly by the petition of Upton Reid and Rees Davis, of Baltimore county, that certain commissioners were appointed by an act of Assembly passed at November session eighteen hundred and nine, to assess and value the damages sustained by John Weston, of Harford county, by reason of a certain road passing through his land ; and that said commissioners did value and assess the said damages to a sum far exceeding any possible damages which said Weston could have sustained by reason of said road passing through his land ; and have prayed that a law may pass authorising the appointment of other commissioners to ascertain the damages actually sustained by said John Weston by reason of said road passing through his land ; and the prayer of the petition appearing reasonable :—*Therefore,*

Preamble.

BE IT ENACTED *by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Nathan Baker, John Jeffries and Charles Gorsuch be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to value the damages sustained by the said John Weston, by reason of the aforesaid road passing through his land ; and they or a majority of them are hereby authorised to meet upon the premises on or before the first day of May next, and make any alteration in the said road they may think necessary ; and after being duly qualified before some justice of the peace, truly and impartially to estimate the damages sustained by said John Weston by reason of the said road running through his farm, they shall proceed to value the same, taking into their consideration the advantages and disadvantages, if any ; and such valuation shall be final and conclusive.

Commissioners appointed to value damages.