

Dec. Ses. 1816. right, title, claim and interest, of the state of Maryland, of, in and to, the said lot of land, and also all the right, title, claim and interest, either in law or equity, which William Ennalls, late of Dorchester county, deceased, had to the said lot of land at the time of his death, and which descended to his heirs.

Application of money.

5. *And be it enacted,* That so much of the proceeds of the sale of the said lot of land shall be applied to the credit of a bond made and executed on the twentieth day of August, in the year seventeen hundred and ninety-nine, by William Ennalls, with John Eccleston and Joseph Ennalls as his securities, as shall be sufficient to discharge the same, and the surplus, if any, shall be by the said trustee paid over to the executors or administrators, as the case may be, of the said William Ennalls, and be considered assets in their hands.

Trustee's allowance.

6. *And be it enacted,* That the said trustee shall be entitled to the same compensation for his services as is allowed by the chancellor in cases of sale of lands made in virtue of a decree of the court of chancery.

CHAPTER 137.

Passed Jan. 28. An act to lay out and make public a Road in Queen-Anne's County.

Commissioners appointed—direction.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That George Meginness, Joseph Rochester, Tristram Thomas, William Cosden, senior, and Willson Register, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to lay out, survey, mark and bound, a public road, not exceeding thirty feet in width, beginning at the main road leading from George-Town to Dixon's tavern, on the divisional between Vincent Benton and Senah Bussick, and running in such direction to the road leading from J. B. to the head of Chester, at the intersection of the road leading from M. Allister's Ferry to said road, as they, or a majority of them, shall deem most adviseable for the public convenience, and return a plot thereof, with a certificate of courses and distances of the same, to the clerk of Queen-Anne's county, to be by him recorded.

Damages to be ascertained.

2. *And be it enacted,* That the commissioners, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorised and directed, to ascertain and value what damage may be sustained by any person or persons through whose lands the said road may pass, by opening the same, taking into consideration all the advantages and disadvantages in consequence thereof, and the damages so ascertained shall be levied and assessed as other county charges are, and shall be paid over to the person or persons entitled to receive the same.

Road to be public.

3. *And be it enacted,* That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, when the said road shall be laid out and marked, shall cause the same to be opened, cleared, and made passable, and shall return an accurate account of the costs and expenses of laying out, clearing, and opening the said road, to the levy court of said county, and the justices of the said levy court are hereby authorised and directed to levy the same on the assessable property of said county, and when so levied shall be collected and