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Exemption
from working
on roads.

2. *And be it enacted*, That all the inhabitants of said town of St. Michael's, and the farms adjoining thereto, as mentioned in the first section of this act, shall be exempt from working on any other road or roads than those included in the district as expressed in said section.

Passed Feb 13

Penalty for re-
fusing to deli-
ver arms.

CHAPTER 177.

An act relating to the Collection of the Public Arms.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That whenever the several agents appointed or to be appointed by the governor and council, in pursuance of a resolution to enforce the collection of the public arms, shall have reason to believe that any person has in his or her possession any of the public arms, or has fraudulently disposed of the same, it shall be the duty of the proper agent to call on the person supposed to have said arms in possession, or to have disposed thereof in manner aforesaid, to deliver up said arms, or to account for the same, and in case of refusal in either case, the party offending shall forfeit the sum of fifteen dollars, for each and every of the public arms so held in possession, or refused to be accounted for, to be recovered by warrant in the name of the state, upon proof of the fact before any justice of the peace in the proper county, under the direction of the proper agent, who is hereby authorised and directed to receive the money, and account for the same with the governor and council, to be by their order deposited in the treasury of the western shore.

CHAPTER 178.

Passed Feb 13

A Further Supplement to an act, entitled, An act for amending and reducing into System the Laws and Regulations concerning Last Wills and Testaments, the duties of Executors, Administrators and Guardians, and rights of Orphans and other Representatives of deceased persons.

Powers vested
in orphans ct.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the orphans courts of the several counties of this state, are hereby authorised and empowered, in all cases where letters testamentary or of administration have been or hereafter may be revoked, and new letters granted, by any of the said courts, to enforce, by attachment, sequestration of property and imprisonment, the delivery or payment over of all unadministered assets by the person whose letters as aforesaid have been or may be revoked, to the person to whom such new letters have been or may be granted.

CHAPTER 179.

Passed Feb 13

A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the breadth of a certain Road in Kent County.

Road to be laid
out—assess-
ment.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Jesse Knock, Lewis Blackstone, Edward Eubanks, William Terrall and Samuel G. Ozborn, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners for the purpose of carrying into effect the act to which this is a supplement, (passed December session eighteen hundred and fourteen,) and that they, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorised and required, to survey and lay out the road mentioned in the act to which this is a supplement, and to cause a