

in this state, before the time of their application for the same, any law to the contrary notwithstanding; *Provided always*, that the said court and the said commissioners shall be first satisfied that the said persons did not remove into this state for the purpose of taking the benefit of the said insolvent laws.

CHAP. 47.

Proviso

CHAP. XLVIII.

A Further Supplement to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate a Company for erecting a Bridge over Nanticoke River at or near Vienna, in Dorchester County. Passed Jan 13, 1820

1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the judges of the county court of Dorchester county, be and they are hereby authorised to appoint five commissioners, which said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall be authorised and empowered to survey and condemn a lot of ground in the town of Vienna, not exceeding the one-fourth part of an acre, for the use and benefit of the Nanticoke Bridge Company; *Provided*, that the said lot of ground, so as aforesaid surveyed and condemned, shall not interfere with or affect the yard, garden or buildings, of any person, without the consent of the owner or owners thereof.

Lot of ground may be condemned for use of company

Proviso

2. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners shall cause to be made out two plots of the lot of ground so as aforesaid surveyed and condemned, one of which they shall lodge in the clerk's office of Dorchester county, there to remain in perpetual testimony of the aforesaid survey and condemnation, the other to be delivered to the president and directors of the Nanticoke Bridge Company.

Two plots of the same to be made out

3. *And be it enacted*, That the said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall value and assess the damages sustained by any person or persons whose lands may be affected by the aforesaid survey and condemnation, taking into consideration all advantages and disadvantages, attending the same, and the damages so as aforesaid assessed, together with all the necessary expenses connected therewith, are to be paid by the president and directors of the said Nanticoke Bridge Company.

Damages to be assessed

4. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the said commissioners, before they proceed to the execution of their duties under this act, to make oath before some justice of the peace, which oath shall be endorsed on their proceedings, that they will well and truly, without prejudice, favour or partiality, execute the duties required of them by this act.

Commissioners to take an oath

5. *And be it enacted*, That should any person consider himself or herself aggrieved by the proceedings of said commissioners, the party so aggrieved may appeal to the next county court, which said court shall be authorised in a summary manner to review the conduct of the commissioners, and make such decision thereon as they may deem right and proper, which said decision shall be conclusive on all parties.

Persons aggrieved may appeal to county court

CHAP. XLIX.

An Act to repeal parts of the Acts of Assembly therein mentioned: Passed Jan 11 1820

*Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That all such parts of the act of assembly, passed at April session seventeen hundred and fifteen, chapter twenty-seven, which directs punishment by whipping, and all such parts of the act of assembly, passed at September session seventeen hundred and twenty-three, chapter sixteen, which directs punishment by boring through the tongue,

Acts repealed