

den, yard, orchard or meadow, of any person or persons, without his, her or their consent. CHAP. 81.

5. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said bridge when built and completed, and the said road when opened, cleared and made good, shall be submitted to the view and inspection of two of the justices of the peace of said county, who upon viewing and examining the said bridge and road, and finding the same finished and completed agreeably to the provisions, true intent and meaning of this act, shall give a certificate thereof, to be returned to the clerk of Caroline county court, to be there recorded, and shall for ever thereafter be deemed and taken as a public highway, and kept in repair in the same manner as other public roads are in the said county.

Bridge when completed, to be inspected by two justices of the peace.

CHAP. LXXXII.

An Act to authorise and empower the Levy Court of Prince-George's County to assess and levy a sum of money for the support and maintenance of Thomas Gentel. Lib. TH. No. 1, fol. 398. Passed Jan 20 1808

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, by the petition of Thomas Gentel, that from disease and infirmities, incident to old age, he is rendered unable to obtain a livelihood by labour, and praying that a law may pass authorising the levy court of Prince-George's county to levy a sum of money on the assessable property of said county sufficient to afford him a comfortable subsistence; and the facts stated in said petition appearing to true, therefore,

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2. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly, That the levy court of Prince-George's county shall be and they are hereby directed and empowered, at their levy court annually, so long as they shall see cause, to assess and levy on the assessable property of said county, a sum of money, not exceeding thirty dollars, for the support and maintenance of the said Thomas Gentel, and that the same be collected annually by the collector or collectors of Prince-George's county, and paid to such person as the levy court of the said county shall or may direct.

Levy authorised for support of Thomas Gentel.

CHAP. LXXXIII.

An Act for the benefit of Catharine Johnson, of Charles County. Lib. TH. No. 1, fol. 399. Passed Jan 20 1808

WHEREAS Catharine Johnson, of Charles county, by her petition to this general assembly hath set forth, that she is a widow with four children, and without the means of support, except from her personal labour, which is arduous and hard, and withal inadequate to the demands of her family, and in addition to her poverty it hath pleased God to deprive one of her daughters of the use of her lower extremities from the hips downwards, by which misfortune this child is debarred from obtaining a livelihood, and must either perish by famine or repair to the poor's house of the said county, where her afflictions and infirmities would lose the attentions of a parent, which her unhappy and helpless situation so much requires; and the prayer of the petitioner, that the levy court of the county in which she resides may levy a small sum of money to assist her labours in the support of her numerous family, appearing reasonable, and the facts stated true, therefore,

Preamble.