

CHAPTER 436.

AN ACT to fill the vacancies in the Board of Commissioners appointed by the act of eighteen hundred and forty, chapter two hundred and fifteen, entitled "An act for cleaning out the Pocomoke river, by means of a lottery."

Whereas by the acts of eighteen hundred and forty, chapter two hundred and fifteen, certain persons, to wit: Henry Franklin, Peter Whaley, Zadok P. Henry, Levi Cathell and Thomas A. Spence, were appointed commissioners to clean out the Pocomoke river, and to raise certain money therefore by means of a lottery; and,

Preamble

Whereas by subsequent elections held by said board, the vacancies occasioned by death or otherwise have been supplied; and, whereas a majority of the said Board of Commissioners are now dead, and only James Whaley and Zaddock P. Henry, both of whom were elected by said board, survive, the said board is left without a quorum, and are unable to act; therefore—

Preamble.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Edward White, John W. Henry and John B. Dale, be and they are hereby appointed by this General Assembly to complete and fill up the vacancies in said board, with power and authority to appropriate the money in the hands of said board for the purposes specified in the act of eighteen hundred and forty, chapter two hundred and fifteen.

Fill vacancy in board

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

In force.

Approved April 5, 1878.