

CHAP. CXXXIV.

CHAP. 134.

*An Act to authorise the Commissioners of the Town of Havre-de-Grace to convey certain lands therein mentioned.*

Passed Feb 25 1829

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the commissioners of the town of Havre-de-Grace, in Harford county, be and the same are hereby authorised, if to them it shall seem fit to do so, to dispose of, and to convey, by deed in fee-simple, to Abraham J. Thomas and William M. Lansdale, respectively, all the public property, consisting of streets and alleys, in the addition of said town, which have heretofore been rented out by the said commissioners, and now under the enclosure of Abraham J. Thomas and William M. Lansdale, at such price as they shall deem proper.

Commissioners authorized to dispose of public property

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted,* That should the aforesaid commissioners make sale of said land, as authorised by this act, that then and in, *and in* that case, the streets and alleys within the aforesaid enclosures, shall be shut up.

If disposed of enclosures to be shut up

CHAP. CXXXV.

*An Act for the benefit of the Heirs at Law of John Eager Howard.*

Passed Feb 26, 1829

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Joseph W. Patterson, George Hoffman, Solomon Etting, James Mosher and Stewart Brown, (commissioners appointed by the high court of chancery to divide the real estate of the late Colonel John Eager Howard,) or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorised and empowered, to open and condemn as public highways forever, all such streets, lanes and alleys, or such parts thereof within the bounds of the said estate, and within the limits of the city of Baltimore, as they may deem advisable.

Commissioners authorized to open streets &c

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That if at any time hereafter, any of the above mentioned streets, lanes or alleys, shall be further opened and extended, beyond the limits of the said estate, and any part of the said estate shall be taxed for such opening or *exclusion*, then and in such case the proprietors of any such lot so taxed, shall be considered as entitled to one half of the bed of the street, immediately in front of such lot, and shall be entitled to claim damages for the taking of the same, in the same manner as he or she might do if the street were then to be first opened and made public.

Streets further opened, proprietors entitled to one half of bed thereof

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the commissioners aforesaid, or a majority of them, to make a return, under their hands and seals, to the mayor of the

Return to be made to mayor