portunity of making an exchange of part of the cleared land be- CHAP. 59. longing to said poor-house for a greater quantity of woodlands lying contiguous to said poor-house, and have prayed that a law may pass authorising them to make such exchange; and the same

appearing reasonable, therefore.

2. Re it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Trustees may exit shall and may be lawful for the trustees of the poor of said county, or a majority of them, to make any exchange of the cleared lands belonging to the said poor-house for any woodlands lving convenient thereto, which they may think adviseable and for the public benefit, and in their own names, as trustees aforesaid. to execute a deed or deeds for conveying the same, as the case may require: Provided, that before any deed shall be executed by the Proviso. trustees aforesaid for the cleared land hereby authorised to be exchanged, a deed or deeds, conveying the land which they may receire in exchange, shall be executed, conveying the same to them. as trustees of the poor of Prince-George's county, and their successors, for ever, which deeds, when so executed, and recorded among the land records of Prince-George's county, shall have the effect to convey the lands therein mentioned, according to the true intent and meaning thereof.

CHAP. LX.

A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the establishment of a Passed Jan 25 1806 new public Road in Somerset County, passed at November session seventeen hundred and ninety-eight.* Lib. TH. No. 1. fol. 62.

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, that a num- Preamble, ber of the inhabitants of Somerset county experience considerable inconvenience from the want of said road, mentioned and described in the original act, and have it not in their power, without some public assistance, to defray the costs and charges of the same;

therefore.

2. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Levy to pay exthe levy court of said county are hereby empowered to assess and penses of levy on said county, if they shall think fit, and it shall appear to them that the said road, when opened, will be of public utility, a sum of money, not exceeding fifty dollars, and cause the same to be paid to the commissioners named in the original act to which this is a supplement, to be applied by them to the payment of the expenses of said road.

CHAP. LXI.

An Act to extend the powers of the Trustees of the Poor of Mont- Passed Jan 25 1806 gomery County. Lib. TH. No. 1, fol. 63.

WHEREAS John Randle, Ally Campbell and Rebecca Dennis, Preamble. of Montgomery county, by their petitions to this general assembly have set forth, that by reason of many bodily infirmities, and various other causes therein set forth, they are unable to obtain a livelihood by labour, and praying to be supported out of the poorhouse of said county as out-pensioners; and the prayer of the said petitioners appearing reasonable, therefore,

2. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Levy authorised it shall and may be lawful for the trustees of the poor of Mont- for the support of errain persons. gomery county, if they shall be of opinion that the peculiar cir-

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