

1778.

L A W S of the S T A T E of

C H A P. XVI, XVII.

a session of assembly, begun and held at the city of Annapolis, on the 17th day of March, 1778, entitled, An act for the payment of the journal of accounts, and for other purposes.

Issued this day of in the year of our lord, 177

C H A P. XVII.

A supplement to the ACT for the payment of the journal of accounts, and for other purposes.

Persons counterfeiting certificates to suffer death.

BE it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That if any subject of this state shall, within or without this state, and if any person whatsoever shall, within this state, forge or counterfeit any certificate issued in virtue of the said act, entitled, An act for the payment of the journal of accounts, and for other purposes, or shall alter the sum expressed in any of the said certificates, or shall pass in payment any such counterfeit or altered certificate, knowing the same to be counterfeit or altered, and shall be thereof convicted in the general court of this state, or shall stand mute, or peremptorily challenge above the number of twenty of the pannel, such person shall suffer death as a felon, without benefit of clergy.

A LIST of the LAWS past last SESSION.

C H A P.

- A**N ACT for the service of the United States. I.
- An ACT to direct the recording of a deed to John Raifin. (*A private act*) II.
- An ACT to revive and continue an act for enlarging the powers of the governor and council. III.
- An ACT empowering Robert Richardson and Thomas Kemp to sell and dispose of the real estate of Philip Weatherill deceased, and to apply the money arising therefrom to special purposes therein mentioned. (*A private act*) IV.
- An ACT to procure troops for the American army. V.
- An ACT to revive and continue the acts of assembly therein mentioned. VI.
- An ACT to raise the supplies for the current year. VII.
- An ACT to prevent and suppress insurrections. VIII.
- An ACT for the speedy recovery of public debts. IX.
- An ACT for the special appointment of inspectors. X.
- An ACT for the relief of John Veazey, and Thomas Brocchus Veazey, son and executor of John Veazey deceased. (*A private act*) XI.
- An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act to regulate the militia. XII.
- An ACT for enlarging the powers of the governor and council. XIII.
- An ACT to establish rules and articles for the government of the draughts and other militia of this state, while in service. XIV.
- A supplement to an act for the better security of the government. XV.
- An ACT for the payment of the journal of accounts, and for other purposes. XVI.
- A supplement to the act for the payment of the journal of accounts, and for other purposes. XVII.