

said duties, which bond shall be lodged with the treasurer of the western shore; and shall also take an oath before the chancellor, that he will well and faithfully discharge the duties of agent under the act, entitled, An act to appoint an agent for the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, to the best of his skill and judgment, the certificate of which oath shall be annexed to, or endorsed on, the said bond.

C H A P.
I. XI.

XXVI. And be it enacted, That if the said agent shall not accept his appointment, or if after acceptance he shall not give bond and take the oath aforesaid before the first day of February next, or shall die, the governor and council are hereby authorized and requested to appoint a fit and proper person in his place, who shall have and execute all the authorities and powers vested in the said William Marbury by this act, such person first giving security and taking the oath aforesaid.

How a vacancy is to be filled.

C H A P. LXII.

An additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of the poor of Calvert county.

Passed December 31.

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, that the trustees appointed by a supplement to the act to which this is an additional supplement have not acted as trustees in pursuance of their appointment,

Preamble.

II. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the justices of the levy court of said county are hereby empowered to appoint other persons as trustees of the poor of said county in the room of any of the said trustees that have neglected or shall hereafter neglect to act as such, and in all cases where any trustee appointed in virtue of this act shall die, or neglect to perform the duties of his office, the said justices are in like manner empowered to appoint some other trustee in his place.

Justices to appoint persons, &c.

C H A P. LXIII.

A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act to incorporate an insurance company in Baltimore-town.

Passed December 31.

BE it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That so much of the original act to which this is a supplement as requires three directors of the said corporation to be excluded by lot annually shall be and is hereby repealed.

Part of an act repealed.

II. And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the said company to insure freights of ships or vessels, and goods or merchandise on board of ships or vessels, in-addition to the articles allowed by the said original act to be insured; and hereafter the said company may employ the sum of money reserved for the payment of losses, on loan, at legal interest, on debentures, payable at Baltimore, falling due within sixty days after the time of the loan.

Company may insure freights, &c.

III. And be it enacted, That any stockholder of the said company, not being director in any other insurance company, shall hereafter be eligible as a director, notwithstanding such person may be a stockholder in any other insurance company.

Stockholder eligible, &c.

IV. This act to take effect and be in force immediately after the acceptance thereof by the said corporation, and the declaration of their acceptance under the seal of the said corporation, and hand of the president, shall be lodged with the clerk of the general court of the western shore.

When to be in force.

C H A P. LXIV.

An ACT to revive and continue the acts of assembly therein mentioned.

Passed December 31.

BE it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the following acts of assembly, to wit: An act, entitled, An act for the more effectual punishment of certain offenders, and for taking from them the benefit of clergy,

Several acts revived, &c.