CHAPTER 403.

Passed Mar. AN ACT entitled, "An Act to appropriate twenty-five thousand dollars for the erection of new buildings and the enlargement of the present buildings of the Maryland Penitentiary for the accommodation of unemployed convicts, and to authorize the Governor to purchase ground adjacent to said Penitentiary and to improve the same.

Appropriation. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to enable the Board of Directors of the Maryland Penitentiary to alter or extend the existing buildings or to erect new buildings of sufficient capacity for the accommodation and employment of the convicts now necessarily unemployed for want of said buildings, and the Treasurer, on the warrant of the Comptroller, is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the said Board of Directors so much of said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars as may be needed by them for the above purposes from time to time.

In force.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from its passage.

CHAPTER 404.

Passed Mar. AN ACT entitled, "An Act to appropriate a sum of money to pay the claim of Wheelwright, Mudge and Company.

Appropriation.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby directed to issue his warrant upon the