

Somerset county, which is repugnant to, or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

AN additional SUPPLEMENT to the ACT for the relief of the Poor in Dorchester and Somerset Counties.—1826, ch. 26.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* Trustees of poor of Somerset county to appoint an overseer. (*act)
 That from and after the passage of this act, the trustees of the poor of Somerset county shall, at their annual meeting in November, appoint an overseer of the poor of said county, according to the provisions of the original [*] to which this is a supplement, who shall enter on the discharge of his duties on the first day of January ensuing.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* Section repealed.
 That so much of the eighth section of the act of assembly, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty-two, chapter fifty-two, which directs the said trustees to elect an overseer in the month of May, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

AN ACT to introduce the cultivation of the Mulberry, and the making of Silk, at the Poor-house in Somerset County.—1838, ch. 221.

WHEREAS, the growing of the mulberry, and the making of silk at the poor-house in Somerset county, would, it is confidently believed, not only afford agreeable and healthful employment to its inmates at a pleasant season of the year, but would ultimately, under a judicious system of management, aid greatly in defraying the expenses of that institution, and also afford a means of giving to the poor children therein, the blessing of education; therefore, Preamble.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* Levy of \$110 directed.
 That the commissioners for Somerset county, be, and they are hereby authorized in their discretion, to levy upon the assessable property of said county, the present year, the sum of one hundred and ten dollars, to be by them expended agreeably to the provisions contained in this act.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* Purchase of trees.
 That the commissioners for said county, be, and they are hereby required, as soon after the passage of this act as practicable, to purchase on the best possible terms, one hundred dollars worth of the morus multicaulis, to be planted and cultivated by the poor under the direction of the keeper of said institution, who is hereby required to select, with the approbation of the commissioners aforesaid, some eligible site for said purpose.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* Loan authorized.
 That in order to carry the second section of this act into immediate operation, said commissioners are hereby required to borrow the sum of one hundred dollars, until such time as the levy and collection authorized by the first section of this act shall have been effected.