

CHAPTER 76.

* 1704, ch. 16. AN ACT to alter and amend the Act,* entitled, an Act for the encouragement of such persons as will undertake to build Water Mills.

See notes to the original law, ante page 3.

No miller to demand more than one-eighth.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the first day of March, in the year eighteen hundred and seventeen, no master, owner, miller, or other person properly belonging to, or otherwise owning any mill within this state, shall ask, demand or receive, for grinding any quantity or quantities of Indian corn or rye, above one-eighth part of every bushel of Indian corn or rye by him or them so ground as aforesaid, upon penalty and forfeiture of fifty dollars current money, for every offence, one-half to the use of the state, and the other half to him or them that shall inform or sue for the same, to be recovered in the respective counties by action of debt, before any justice of the peace, in the manner as prescribed by law for the recovery of small debts out of court.

This leaves the original act in force as to the toll on wheat.

Part of an act repealed

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That so much of the act to which this is an amendment, repugnant to the provisions herein contained, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Made permanent by 1817, ch. 130.

CHAPTER 98.

AN ACT for appointing a Printer to the State.

Printer appointed.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Jonas Green be and he is hereby appointed and constituted printer to the state.

His duty.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the printer appointed by virtue of this act, to print the laws and votes and proceedings of the general assembly, agreeably to the provisions of the act of 1790, chapter 51, section 3, and in conformity to the 64th resolution passed November session, 1811; *Provided nevertheless,* that for the present year the printer aforesaid shall be allowed twenty days in addition to the time heretofore allowed by law for printing the laws, votes and proceedings, after the same shall be delivered to him by the clerk, any thing in any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

Proviso.

Printer to give bond.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the printer to the state shall, within fifteen days after the close of every annual session of the general assembly, enter into bond to the state of Maryland, in the penalty of twenty-four hundred dollars, with such security as shall be approved by the treasurer of the western shore, which bond shall be lodged with the said treasurer, conditioned that he will, as printer to the state of Maryland, faithfully print the laws on paper of good quality, and the votes and proceed-