

ter of wills in Harford county, and which shall be hereafter filed in said office, shall be fairly recorded by the register of wills of said county in folio books, well bound, with a correct and fair index to the same. CHAP. 76.

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all wills, heretofore recorded and certified by the late register of wills of said county to have been proved according to law, although such probat and certificate are not in due form of law, and have not been endorsed on said will in words of length, or recorded in words at length, or signed by the late register, shall be as good, valid, and of the same avail in law, to every intent, as if the said probat and certificate had been endorsed on said will, and signed by the late register, and recorded in due form of law. Wills heretofore recorded and certified to be good.

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all inventories, accounts of separate and desperate debts, and accounts of sales, heretofore returned to and filed in said office, upon which the oath prescribed by law has not been endorsed and certified, and signed by said register according to law, and which have not been duly recorded, shall be and are hereby declared to be as good and available in law, as if the said oath endorsed and certified thereon had been in due form so recorded. Inventories, &c. heretofore filed to be good.

4. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all errors in casting up figures in any account heretofore rendered, and in any inventory heretofore filed, shall and may be corrected by the register of wills, under the directions of the orphans court of said county. Errors in accounts may be corrected.

5. AND BE IT ENACTED, That in all cases where inventories, accounts of separate and desperate debts, and accounts of sales, have been filed, and no sort of probat and certificate endorsed on the same, that the orphans court aforesaid shall and may issue a citation for the executors or administrators, or their survivors, personally to appear before said court, and make oath agreeable to the form prescribed by law. Court, in certain cases to issue a citation.

6. AND BE IT ENACTED, That in all cases where an account of sales has not been returned to said office, and the executors and administrators are not deceased, and where there are survivors, the said orphans court shall and may issue process to compel the said executors and administrators, or their survivors, to return in due form of law a regular account of sales. And also issue process.

7. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all testamentary bonds, all administration bonds; and all guardians bonds, filed in said register's office, being in the hand writing of the said late register, but not signed by him, or any other person as a witness, shall be as good, and of the like avail in law, as if the same had been signed by the said late register as a witness. Testamentary bonds, &c. to be good in certain cases.

8. AND BE IT ENACTED, That in all cases where wills have heretofore been filed in said register's office, and not proved according to law, and the witnesses thereto are deceased, that probat of the hand writing of the witnesses, and of the testator, or probat of the actual execution of said will by any other competent witness or witnesses, made in the said orphans court, shall be as good, and of the like avail in law, as if the said will had been heretofore duly proved in the said orphans court, in the form prescribed by law, which said probat shall be endorsed on said will, and certified by the register of wills, and recorded as other probats of wills are endorsed, certified and recorded. Probat to wills in certain cases to be good.