

**CHAP. 60.** hereby directed and empowered, at their levy court annually, to assess and levy on the assessable property of said county, a sum of money not exceeding thirty dollars, for the support and maintenance of Rebecca Shipley, and that the same be collected annually by the collector of Anne-Arundel county, and paid to the said Rebecca Shipley, or to her order.

Passed Dec 27

## CHAP. LXI.

*An Act for the relief of John Hassard and Ralph Hassard, of the City of Baltimore.* Lib. TH. No. 3, fol. 75.

Sec Ch. 108.

Preamble

WHEREAS it has been represented to this general assembly, that John Hassard and Ralph Hassard, of the city of Baltimore, having become, from losses in trade, unable to pay their debts, did heretofore apply to Baltimore county court for the benefit of the insolvent law passed at November session eighteen hundred and five, and its several supplements: And whereas, the said John Hassard and Ralph Hassard have also represented that the said county court hath in consequence of the said John and Ralph Hassard having neglected to give notice of their said application to certain of their creditors, who had assented to their release, adjudged that they are not entitled to the benefits of said act and supplements, notwithstanding the said John and Ralph Hassard have obtained the assent in writing of so many of their creditors as have due to them two-thirds in amount of the debts due by the said John Hassard and Ralph Hassard, whereby the said John Hassard and Ralph Hassard have lost the benefit of said act and its supplements; and it appearing to this general assembly reasonable that the said John Hassard and Ralph Hassard should be relieved in the premises, therefore,

Benefit of insolvent laws extended to them.

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the judges of Baltimore county court be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered, to extend and afford to the said John Hassard and Ralph Hassard, all the benefits, advantages and provisions of the act of assembly passed at November session eighteen hundred and five\*, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and of the supplements thereto, upon the application heretofore made by the said John Hassard and Ralph Hassard for the benefit thereof to the said county court, upon the same terms and conditions, as if the said John Hassard and Ralph Hassard had, in due form of law, served personal notice on each of their creditors, of their said application.

\* Ch. 110.

## CHAP. LXII.

Passed Dec 27.

*An Act to erect a Town in Montgomery County, and for other purposes.* Lib. TH. No. 3, fol. 76.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly by the petition of sundry inhabitants of Barnsville, Montgomery county, for the purpose of erecting a town, that the titles of the proprietors thereof are precarious and uncertain, and it is prayed that the same may be surveyed, marked, bounded and erected into a town; therefore,

Commissioners to appoint a person to survey said town, lots, &amp;c.

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That George B. Hays, Abraham S. Hays, and John Plummer, senior,