

## L A W S of M A R Y L A N D.

## C H A P. XXIX.

An ACT to increase the allowance of justices of the peace and jurymen.  
The same continuance as ch. 27.

## C H A P. XXX.

An ACT for the relief of certain collectors of the public assessment.

## C H A P. XXXI.

An ACT for the payment of the journal of accounts.

At a SESSION of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY of MARYLAND, begun and held at the city of ANNAPOLIS, on Monday the twelfth of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty, and ended the 5th day of July: The following laws were enacted.

THOMAS SIM LEE, Esq; Governor.

## C H A P. I.

An ACT to authorise the commissioners appointed by the act for the immediate supply of flour and other provisions for the army, to hire or impress vessels and carriages.

See the act of November, 1779, ch. 32.

## C H A P. II.

An ACT to procure a loan.

This act appoints several of the most respectable men in each county, to solicit loans, in bills of credit, tobacco, or specie, for which they are to give receipts. Upon such receipts being produced to the western shore treasurer, he is to issue to the owners certificates, bearing interest from the day of the loan, and payable (if for specie) within one year after the conclusion of the war, or within three years from the date; if for tobacco, within three years, and to be discountable out of the public assessment; and, if for paper, payable by the first of January next, or discountable as aforesaid.

All monies borrowed on a late requisition of the executive, with the interest, to be likewise discountable out of the assessment of the lender, or paid him out of the first money that shall come into the treasury.

## C H A P. III.

An ACT for a new and speedy enrollment of the militia.

This act is only supplementary to the militia act which has expired.

## C H A P. IV.

An ACT for the relief of Zachariah Forrest, collector of the tax for Saint-Mary's county.

## C H A P. V.

An ACT for the payment of certain certificates.

Viz. those issued under the act of November, 1779, ch. 32. One half to be paid by either treasurer out of the £. 10 tax, which is to be brought into the treasury by the 10th of July next. The other half out of the second £. 10 tax, to be brought in by the 10th of December.

## C H A P. VI.

An ACT for the relief of Thomas Williams, collector of the assessment in Prince-George's county.

## C H A P. VII.

An ACT for the adjournment of Charles county court.

From the 27th of June, instant, to the 5th of July.

## C H A P. VIII.

An ACT for sinking the quota required by congress of this state of the bills of credit emitted by congress.

This act begins with the following preamble:

Whereas, on the eighteenth day of March, in the year one thousand seven hundred and eighty, congress passed an act in the following words: "These United States having been driven into this just and necessary war, at a time when no regular civil governments were established, of sufficient energy to enforce