Baltimore county court, and all demurrers and motions in arrest of judgment, or for new trials, and issues at law, shall be determined only by all or a majority of the judges of said court; And whereas, from sickness of judges, and their inability from other causes, to sit in the said court much inconvenience has arisen from the operation of said provision, and may hereafter arise-Therefore,

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Ma- one judge may decide. ryland, That from and after the passage of this act, all cases and points reserved at trials in Baltimore county court, and all demurrers and motions in arrest of judgment, or for new trials, and issues at law, in said court, may be argued or submitted in said court before, and determined by, any

one judge of said court.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That all parts of the act to Repeals which this is supplementary, inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

## CHAPTER 16.

An act extending the time for taking the Bond of the Sheriff Passed Jan. 6, 1832. of Somerset county.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Time extended. it shall and may be lawful for the judges of the orphans' court of Somerset county, or any two of them, either in or out of court to take and approve of the sheriff's bond of said county at any time before the first day of March next; and the said bond, when so taken and approved of, shall have the same force, effect and operation, to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been so taken and approved of within the time limited by law, any act to the contrary notwithstanding.

## CHAPTER 17.

An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act to incor- Passed Jan. 14,1852 porate a Company for erecting a Bridge over Choptank river, at or near Dover Ferry.

WHEREAS, it is represented to this General Assembly, Preamble. by the petition of sundry of the stockholders, that from the dispersed situation of the stockholders, and their small number, it is extremely difficult to get nine Directors to

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