

CHAPTER 426.

AN ACT to amend section fifty-one, of article three, of the constitution of this State.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* (Three-fifths of all the members of the two houses concurring,) **To amend.** that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to the constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof as herein provided, it shall supersede and stand in the place and stead of section fifty-one, of article three, of the constitution of this State.

SEC. 51. The personal property of residents of this State shall be subject to taxation in the county or city where the resident *bona fide* resides for the greater part of the year for which the tax may or shall be levied, and not elsewhere except goods and chattels permanently located, which shall be taxed in the city or county where they are so located, but the general assembly may by law provide for the taxation of mortgages upon property in this State and the debts secured thereby in the county or city where such property is situated. **Amend-ment.**

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the constitution shall be, at the next general election held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in article fourteen, of the constitution of this State; and at the said general election the vote on said proposed amendment to the constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be written or printed the words, "For the constitutional amendment," or "Against the constitutional amendment," as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election, due return shall be made to the governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment as directed by the said fourteenth article of the constitution. **Submitted**

Approved April 8, 1890.

CHAPTER 427.

AN ACT to facilitate the examination of titles of land in Talbot county by authorizing the clerk of the circuit court for Talbot county to make out a general index to the law and equity docketts in his office, and to provide for the paying for the same.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the clerk of the circuit court for Talbot county be and he