

for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, the same having received the recommendation of the treasury officials.

License

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 31st, 1892.

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CHAPTER 275.

AN ACT to repeal section two hundred and forty-nine of article ninety-three of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Testamentary Law," sub-title "Orhhans' Court," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Repeal and re-enactment.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That section two hundred and forty-nine of article ninety-three of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Testamentary Law," sub-title "Orphans' Court," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows :

Plenary proceedings

249. The Orphans' Court may, in all cases of controversies therein, upon the application of either party, direct plenary proceeding by bill or petition, to which there shall be an answer on oath, and if the party refuse to answer any matter alleged in the bill or petition, proper for the court to decide upon, he may be attached, fined and committed, or his property may be attached and sequestered: and that the appearance of the defendant, or defendants, to such bill or petition may be compelled by writ of summons, order of publication or attachment as such appearance is now compelled to bills and petitions in the Circuit Court for the counties, as Courts of Equity, and the judges of the Orphans' Court and Register of Wills shall have the same authority to order, issue and attest such process respectively as the judges and clerks of said Circuit Courts now have respectively, in cases in their courts.

Compel appearance

Approved March 31st, 1892.

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CHAPTER 276.

AN ACT to repeal section one hundred and twenty-four of article twenty-three of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Wicomico County," sub-title "Roads," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That section one hundred and twenty-four of