

land, passed December session 1825, entitled, An act for the relief of Solomon Etting, of the city of Baltimore, be and the same is hereby repealed, but if the said street be not opened within one year after the passage of this act, that then said act, for the relief of said Etting, shall be and remain in full force and effect, any thing to the contrary herein contained notwithstanding.

8. *And be it enacted*, That nothing in this act contained shall be of any force or effect, until approved of by the mayor and city council of Baltimore.

CHAP. 208.



CHAP. CCIII.

An Act for the relief of Samuel M'Bride of Allegany County.

Passed Mar 10 1827

WHEREAS it is represented to this legislature, by the petition of Samuel M'Bride of Allegany county, that on the sixteenth day of October, eighteen hundred and twenty-four, he executed a bond to the state of Maryland, in the penalty of one hundred pounds, with a certain Luther Martin Keene, as security for the personal appearance of the said Luther Martin Keene before the justices of Allegany county court, to be held at Cumberland on the third Monday of April next, after the date of the said bond, to answer unto the state of Maryland, of and concerning a certain trespass, contempt and misdemeanor, by him committed; that the said Luther Martin Keene failed to make his appearance at the time specified, by which the said bond became forfeited; that after the execution of the said bond, the said Luther Martin Keene removed from the state of Maryland to some place unknown to the said Samuel M'Bride; that at October term of Allegany county court, in the year eighteen hundred and twenty-six, judgment was rendered against the said Samuel M'Bride at the suit of the state of Maryland, for the sum of two hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six and two third cents, on said bond; that no exertion on the part of the said Samuel M'Bride could have procured the attendance of said Keene, according to the condition of said bond; that the parties charged as confederates with said Keene have been convicted and duly punished; that the said Samuel M'Bride, with his utmost exertion, will not be able to pay said money; this being a case of great hardship, justly demanding legislative interference; Therefore,

Preamble

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the said Samuel M'Bride, of Allegany county, be and he is hereby released from all responsibility to the state of Maryland on account of any bond or judgment, or any bond entered into or given by him, with Luther Martin Keene, for the appearance of said Keene in Allegany county court.

Released from responsibility, &c.

2. *And be it enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That the state of Maryland hereby remits, releases and discharges, the said Samuel M'Bride, from the payment of the sum of two hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six and two third cents, and interest, for which the said state obtained judgment against said Samuel M'Bride, in Allegany county court, at October term eighteen hundred and twenty-six, provided, however, that all costs due on said judgment, to the several officers of

Also from judgment obtained against him.