to import and bring into this state from the state of Virginia, CHAP. 131 the following negro slaves, viz. Lewis, Arthur, Abel, Jacob, Rachael, Agnes, Kissa and her infant son Isaac, Sarah, Edea and Eliza, and to have and hold the above named negro slaves in the same right, as if they had been born, raised and originally possessed and held slaves in this state.

## CHAPTER 132.

An act to authorise the Commissioners of Baltimore County, to Passed March 7, levy and assess a certain sum of money therein menioned.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Mary. Levy authoried land, That the commissioners of Baltimore county, be, and they are hereby authorised and directed, to assess and levy upon any assessable property in said county, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on a certain sum of money heretofore loaned to William Dimmitt, Upton Reed and Ephraim King, the commissioners appointed by the former levy court of said county, to build a bridge over the Great Falls of Gunpowder. on the Belle Air road, near to Perry Hall farm.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That the commissioners of Bal. Payment directed timore county shall pay over, when collected, to said commissioners appointed as aforesaid, when they in their wisdom are satisfied that the said bridge is completed in a workman like manner, the said sum of money.

## CHAPTER 133.

An act relative to Swine going at large in the Village of Hills- Passed agord borough, in Caroline County.

WHEREAS, it is represented to this general assembly of roundless Maryland, by the petition of sundry inhabitants of the Village of Hillsborough in Caroline county, that great inconvenience is experienced by the inhabitants of said village, in consequence of swine being permitted to go at large in said village; And whereas, the inhabitants of said village of Hillsborough, did petition this legislature at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty two, for an act to incorporate said village, by which means the said village might have power to elect commissioners, who shall have power to pass by-laws for the government of the said village, which said act was granted them, one of the principal objects of which was to prohibit swine from going at large in said village, the issue thereof having been tried by legal authority, and it having been thereby ascertained and settled, that the act of incorporation can have no bearing upon swine belonging without the limits of the said village: Therefore,