

negro woman named Margery Bowman, shall have the effect and operation which it would have had, if the said Margery were under the age of forty-five years, and able to maintain herself when her freedom should commence: *Provided*, That Lloyd M. Lowe, or some other person shall give bond to the levy court of Prince George's county, with security to be approved by the justices thereof, in such penalty as they shall prescribe, conditioned that the said Margery shall receive eighteen dollars annually for her support, after the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Lowe, and during her (the said Margery's) natural life.

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## CHAPTER 159.

*An act to change the time of holding the November Term of the Court of Appeals, for the Eastern Shore.*

Passed March 12,  
1828.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That so much of an act of Assembly, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and sixteen, chapter one hundred and fifty-one, as relates to the holding of the court of appeals, for the Eastern Shore of this state in the month of November, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Repeal of former  
period

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That from and after the passage or this act, the said court shall be holden at Easton on the second Monday of November, in each and every year thereafter, instead of the last Monday as heretofore provided by law.

Period directed

## CHAPTER 160.

*An act to amend the Lottery System.*

Passed March 12,  
1828

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That before any commissioner of lotteries shall proceed to act as such, or shall be entitled to receive any salary, or other compensation whatsoever, he shall give bond to the state of Maryland, with two securities to be approved by the Governor and Council, each bond to be in the penal sum of twenty thousand dollars, conditioned, that the said commissioner shall well and truly perform and discharge the several duties required of him as a commissioner of lotteries, and that he will abstain from and avoid all manner of concern or interest in the gain or loss of any lottery scheme, and that he will not be concerned in the purchase of any lottery ticket or tickets, part or parts thereof, and that he will faithfully pay over all monies which shall come into his hands, as a commissioner of lotteries, to the person or persons, body or bodies corporate or politic, who shall be entitled to receive the same, and that he will in all respects comply with the requis-

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sioners bonds.