

CHAPTER 411.

AN ACT to repeal Chapter 157 of the Acts of 1894, which repealed Section 181 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Alleghany County," sub-title "Justices of the Peace and Constables," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That chapter 157 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1894, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, so as to make section 181 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Alleghany County," sub-title "Justices of the Peace and Constables," so as to read as follows :

181. Nothing in the last preceding section shall operate so as to prevent residents of election districts numbers four, five, six, fourteen, twenty-two and twenty-three, from being sued in either of said districts, or residents of election districts numbers ten and fifteen from being sued in either of said districts ten and fifteen, or residents of election districts numbers eleven, twelve, nineteen, twenty-four and twenty-six, being sued in either of said districts numbers eleven, twelve, nineteen, twenty-four and twenty-six ; provided, however, that upon a cause of action brought before any one of the justices of the peace of election districts numbers four, five, six, fourteen, twenty-two or twenty-three, if the parties to any cause in any suit or action or issue pending, shall make a suggestion in writing, supported by the affidavit of such party or his counsel, or other proper evidence, that the party cannot have a fair and impartial trial before said justice where such suit or action or issue is pending, then the said justice of the peace, before whom such suit or action or issue is pending, shall forthwith order and direct the proceedings in any such suit or action or issue, to be transmitted to some other justice of the peace appointed and qualified for any of the above-named election districts four, five, six, fourteen, twenty-two or twenty-three ; and provided, further, that if any district in Alleghany county, except districts four, five, six, fourteen, twenty-two or twenty-three, shall not at any time have a justice of the peace residing therein, by reason of his resignation, death, removal, failure to qualify, absence, or from any other cause, any suit might have been brought against any person in such district under this Act, may be brought in any other district adjoining the one in which there is no justice of the peace ; and that upon a cause of action (civil or criminal) brought before any one of the justices of the peace of the

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