## CHAPTER 222.

СНАР. 223.

An act supplemental to the act, entitled an act concerning Passed Mar. 9, Crimes and Punishments, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and nine, chapter one hundred and thirty-eight.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, If convicted of That all and every person or persons, their aiders, advisers attempting to or abettors, who shall be duly convicted of the crime of at- poison tempting to poison any person or persons whatsoever, shall be sentenced to undergo a confinement in the penitentiary for a period of time not less than two, nor more than ten years, to be treated as the act directs to which this is a supplement; provided, that nothing contained in this act Proviso shall be construed to interfere with the provisions of the act passed at December session, eighteen hundred and eighteen, chapter one hundred and ninety-seven, in relation to negro or mulatto slaves.

## CHAPTER 223.

An act relating to the School Fund of Cecil County.

Passed Mar. 9, 1841.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Orphans' court Maryland, That the orphans' court of Cecil county be, to invest school and they are hereby authorised and required, to vest in stock stocks of the State of Maryland, any and every portion of the school fund which has heretofore been, or may hereafter be allotted to said county and paid to said court under any of the laws of this State relating to said fund, and which has not been, or may not hereafter be expended for the education of children as contemplated by the several acts of Assembly on that subject; and that from time to time, the said orphans' court shall in like manner invest any interest or dividend arising from said stocks; provided, such Proviso interest or dividend, or some part thereof, shall not be required for the education of poor children in said county as aforesaid.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That in case of such invest- If investment ment, the said stock or scrip shall stand in the name of the be made orphans' court of Cecil county, and be subject to be sold or transferred at any time by the authority of said court,