

1844. THOMAS G. PRATT, ESQUIRE, GOVERNOR.

CHAP. 63. pear meet; and that the said John W. Alder be permitted to amend his proceedings so as correct the discrepancies existing between the name of the said tract in the advertisement of sale and the receipt, so as to make it certainly appear by his return, what is the proper name of the tract so sold unto the aforesaid Samuel Luman.

CHAPTER 62.

Passed Jan. 4, 1845. *An act to alter and change the name of William Flood Brand to William Francis Brand.*

Name changed.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the name of William Flood Brand, a native of Louisiana, and now a citizen of Maryland, and resident of Anne Arundel county, be and the same is hereby altered and changed to William Francis Brand, and it shall be lawful for the said William Francis Brand, at all times hereafter, to be called and known by and hold and use the name of William Francis Brand, and by the name of William Francis Brand, to purchase, sell, convey or devise, to sue and be sued in any court of law and equity.

CHAPTER 63.

Passed Feb. 3, 1845. *A supplement to the act entitled, an act to authorise the approval of the bonds, of the several clerks of the several County Courts in this State, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, chapter one hundred and twenty-four.*

Judges may approve bond.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That whenever any clerk of a county court in this State shall have been, or may hereafter be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, or by the Governor, if the General Assembly shall not be in session, and commissioned during the recess of such county court, it shall and may be lawful for any one of the judges of such county court, to take and approve the official bond of such clerk, in as ample a manner as the judges of the county courts are now authorised to do, according to the existing laws; and every such bond, when so approved, shall be good and effectual in

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