

THOMAS G. PRATT, ESQUIRE, GOVERNOR. 1846.

the name of Andrew Jackson Maley had been the original name of the said Andrew Maley. CHAP. 8.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That all the lawful contracts and obligations which the said Andrew Maley may have made or entered into antecedent to the passage of this act, shall be obligatory upon each and every party concerned or interested, the same as though this act had never been passed. Contracts valid.

CHAPTER 7.

*An act for the benefit of the Sunday School of Chester Parish, in Kent County.* Passed Jan. 12, 1847.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That John B. Eccleston, Joseph Wickes and James B. Ricaud, are hereby appointed commissioners with full power and authority to lay off a portion of the unoccupied public ground in Chestertown, adjoining the Protestant Episcopal Church of said place, as may be necessary for the erection of a suitable building to be used as the Sunday school of the said church. Commissioners to lay off.

CHAPTER 8.

*An act for the relief of Washington Gaither, Sheriff of Howard District, of Anne Arundel County.* Passed Jan. 13, 1847.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Washington Gaither, sheriff of Howard District, of Anne Arundel county be, and he is hereby allowed until the thirtieth day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-seven, to execute his bond as sheriff of Howard District, of Anne Arundel county, for the year eighteen hundred and forty-seven; and that said bond, if executed and approved on or before that day, shall be as valid and binding on said sheriff and his sureties, as if the same had been executed and approved within the time now limited by law. Time allowed.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That all official acts done, or to be done, and performed by said sheriff, after he shall have bonded as aforesaid, shall be as valid and ef- Acts made valid.