

CHAP. 40.vey, devise or receive property hereafter devised, to sue and be sued in any court of law or equity.

In force. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from and after its passage.

CHAPTER 39.

Passed March 1, 1852. *AN ACT for the Relief of John B. Hayden, late Sheriff of Saint Mary's County.*

Commissioners to levy. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the County Commissioners for Saint Mary's County be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered, in their discretion, to levy on the assessable property of said county, such a sum of money, as to them may seem just and proper, for the benefit of John B. Hayden, late Sheriff of Saint Mary's county, for expenses incurred by him, in erecting and keeping a private jail during the period of his sheriffalty.

CHAPTER 40.

Passed March 2, 1852. *AN ACT authorising Louis Myer, an alien, now residing in Talbot county, to hold Real Estate in this State.*

Empowered to hold real estate. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Louis Myer, a citizen of Germany, residing in Talbot county, of this State, be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to take, hold and possess any real estate, to him, his heirs or assigns, to as full extent, as if he, the said Louis Myer, was a citizen of the United States of America.