

1812. house, yard, garden or orchard, without the consent of the owner or owners thereof.

CHAPTER 147.

Passed Dec. 28, 1812. *An act for the benefit of Margaret Lamb, of the city of Annapolis.*

A sum to be levied for her maintenance.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the levy court of Anne-Arundel county be, and they are hereby directed and empowered, at their levy court annually, to assess and levy on the assessable property of said county, a sum of money not exceeding thirty dollars, for the support and maintenance of John Lamb of the city of Annapolis, so long as they shall see cause; and that the same be collected annually by the collector or collectors of Anne-Arundel county, and paid to Margaret Lamb, wife of the said John Lamb, or to her order.

CHAPTER 148.

Passed Dec. 28, 1812. *An act authorising an appropriation for the Penitentiary of this State.*

Amount of appropriation.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the inspectors of the Penitentiary of this State, or any seven of them, be, and they are hereby authorised, from time to time, to draw orders on the treasurer of the wester shore for any sums of money not exceeding in the whole four thousand dollars, which orders the said treasurer is hereby required to pay out of any unappropriated money in the treasury, to be applied by the said inspectors or a majority of them, towards the purchase of tools, raw materials and provisions, or other necessary articles for the use and benefit of the said Penitentiary, in such manner as they shall direct and determine, and shall be accounted for in such manner as is prescribed by the act passed at November session eighteen hundred and eleven, entitled, "An act authorising appropriations for the Penitentiary of this State."