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before he executed a deed to the said levy court for the same: Therefore,

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2. BE IT ENACTED, That the title of the said Littleton D. Maddox, his heirs and assigns, to the said lot and ware-house, shall be confirmed and made valid: Provided, The original purchase money of said lot has been, or shall be paid to the said John Maddox or his representatives by the levy court of Somerset county.

CHAPTER 56.

Passed Dec. An act for the support of Stephen Caywood, of Montgomery county.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, Stephen Caywood of Montgomery county, by his petition to this General Assembly has set forth, that he is far advanced in life, upwards of seventy years of age, and labors under many of the infirmities of old age which render him incapable of providing for himself any longer, and praying that some relief may be granted to him out of the poor house, and the facts stated in his petition appearing true: Therefore,

A sum to be levied for his support—to whom to be paid,

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the justices of the levy court of Montgomery county shall be, & they are hereby empowered at their levy court annually, so long as they shall see cause, 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 the said Stephen Caywood, and that the same be collected annually by the collector of Montgomery county, and by him paid to the said Stephen Caywood or his order.

CHAPTER 57.

Passed Dec. 9, 1812. Preamble.

An act to prevent trespasses in Allegany county.

WHEREAS, It hath been represented to this General Assembly, that divers persons not citizens of this State, are in the habit of bringing large numbers of cattle, horses and hogs into the upper part of Allegany county, and there leaving them to graze and pasture during the summer season, to the great injury and annoyance of the settlers and citizens, thereby retarding the improvement and progress of said county, and it being the duty of the State to protect its citizens and encourage the settlement of its vacant lands: Therefore,