

CHAPTER 386.

AN ACT to allow William Stafford of Caroline county, to bring into this State, a slave for a term of years, therein named. Passed March 10, 1858.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That it may and shall be lawful for William Stafford, of Caroline county, to bring into this State, from the State of Delaware, a negro woman named Eliza Cannon, a slave for a term of years, purchased by the said William Stafford. Leave to bring into the State

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That said Eliza Cannon shall remove from the State of Maryland, after her term of servitude expires, under a penalty of one hundred dollars, recoverable before the Orphans' Court of Caroline county, to be paid into the colonization fund for the furtherance of the objects of said society. Must leave State at expiration of term of servitude.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage. In force.

CHAPTER 387.

A SUPPLEMENT to an act, entitled an act, for the better protection of Stevens' Ferry, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and forty-four, chapter one hundred and fifty-six. Passed March 6, 1858.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That it shall be the duty of the County Commissioners of Somerset and Worcester counties, to levy upon the taxable property of said counties, in the hands of their respective Sheriffs, twelve months in advance, annually, a sufficient amount, or sum of money for the purchase of a rope or ropes for Stevens' Ferry, on the Pokomoke river in said counties, and said Sheriffs, shall upon the order of the keeper or keepers of the said ferry, pay over to him or them Duty of Commissioners.