

first mentioned act in lieu of Joseph S. Colgan, whereby the intention of said act may be defeated; Therefore, CHAP. 169.

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That all the benefits of the act to which this act is a supplement be extended to Joseph S. Colgan, in the same manner and as fully as if the said mistake had not happened, and all proceedings heretofore had in favour of Joseph S. Colgan, under the said act, are hereby confirmed. Entitled to benefits of former act

CHAP. CLXX.

An Act authorising Edmond Henry Contee to remove certain Negroes into the State of Maryland. Passed Feb 14 1821

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Edmond Henry Contee be and he is hereby authorised and empowered, at any time or times within two years after the passage of this act, to remove and bring into this state from the state of Virginia, the negro slaves Thomas, Armstrong, Peter, Hezekiah, Thornton, Fanny, Nelly, Jemima, Rebecca and two children, Letty and two children, and Jenny, to whom he is entitled by descent, and that the removal of said slaves, and their issue, and bringing them into the state of Maryland, shall not be deemed or taken, or in any manner be construed or operate, to entitle them to freedom; *Provided,* that the said negroes, when removed agreeably to the provisions of this act, shall be recorded in the records of Charles county court, within three months after their arrival in said county. Authorised to bring slaves into this state

CHAP. CLXXI.

An Act to pay the Civil List and other expenses of Civil Government. Passed Feb 14 1821

WHEREAS those who dedicate their time, abilities and labour, to the public, ought to receive a reasonable compensation for their services; Preamble

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the following officers of the civil government for the time being, shall be entitled to receive at the rate of the following salaries, in current money, for the ensuing year, to wit: The treasurer of the western shore two thousand dollars, the treasurer of the eastern shore five hundred dollars, the auditor five hundred dollars, the clerk of the council one thousand dollars, the clerk of the senate one hundred and fifty dollars, the clerk of the house of delegates three hundred dollars, the printer to the state fourteen hundred dollars, the messenger to the council two hundred and fifty dollars. Officers salaries

2. *And be it enacted,* That all monies which shall remain in the treasury after discharging the journal of accounts, and all unappropriated money which may come into the treasury, be first applied to the payment of the civil list for the ensuing year. Unappropriated monies to be first applied to payment thereof

CHAP. CLXXII.

A Further Additional Supplementary Act to the act, entitled, An act for Quiet- ing Possessions, Enrolling Conveyances, and Securing the Estates of Purchasers. Passed Feb 14 1821

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That all deeds heretofore made, or hereafter to be made, for conveying or passing any estate of inheritance or freehold, or declaring or limiting any use or uses, trust or trusts, or for conveying any es- Deeds conveying any estate of inheritance, &c to have effect, &c