

Dec. Ses. 1823. *5. And be it enacted,* That such of the provisions of the original act, to which this is a supplement, as are repugnant to, or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

School tax. *6. And be it enacted,* That nothing herein contained shall exempt the aforesaid bank from the payment of any part of the school tax that they now pay, during the existence of the charter of said bank.

CHAPTER 69.

Passed Jan. 24, 1824. A supplement to an act, entitled, An act relating to the village of Church Hill, in Queen Ann's county, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and seventeen.

Election of commissioners. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the passage of this act it shall and may be lawful for the citizens of Church Hill, in Queen Ann's county, to elect in the same manner as prescribed by the act to which this is a supplement, three instead of five commissioners as directed in said act, and that the said commissioners when so elected shall have and exercise the several powers and authorities delegated to the commissioners by said act, any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

CHAPTER 70.

Passed Jan. 26, 1824. Preamble. An act for the relief of Josias Young, his wife Evelina Young, and their infant children.

WHEREAS, it is represented to this General Assembly, that Doctor Gerard Wood, of Charles county, died intestate in the year eighteen hundred and twenty-two, leaving a considerable real estate in the said county, and leaving as his heirs at law four daughters, viz. Evelina intermarried with Josias Young, of Prince George's county; Juliet, relict of John B. Hungerford; Mary intermarried with Robert Crane; and Ann Wood, all of Charles county, all of whom are above the age of twenty-one years: AND WHEREAS, the said real estate not being susceptible of division without loss and injury to all of the heirs aforesaid, it has been agreed between the said Robert Crane of the one part, and the said Josias Young, Juliet Hungerford and Ann Wood of the other part, that the said Robert Crane shall and will take the whole of the said real estate upon terms agreed on between the parties aforesaid: AND WHEREAS, the said Evelina Young being by the visitation of Almighty God incapable of making a contract, the agreement aforesaid cannot be carried into effect without legislative aid—Therefore,

Authority granted with directions. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland;* That the aforesaid Josias Young may by his individual deed convey to the said Robert Crane and his heirs, all the right, interest and estate which the said Josias Young and Evelina Young, his wife, have of, in and unto the aforesaid real property, and such deed executed and acknowledged by him, and duly recorded, shall be taken and held to convey to the said Robert Crane and his heirs, all the right, title, interest, claim, and demand, which to the said Evelina from her father Gerard Wood descended of, in and to the said real estate as fully and effectually to all intents and purposes, as if the said Evelina labouring under no disability had joined in the said deed, and made her acknowledgment of the same in due form of law: *Provided,* that before the execution of such deed, the said Josias Young shall give bond to the state of Maryland, to be recorded in the office of the Register of Wills of Charles county, with such penalty and securities as the Orphans' court of Charles county may approve, to invest the money arising