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Levy court may allow support—limit.

2. And be it enacted, That all applications by or in behalf of any person or persons, desirous of being maintained at the public expense out of the poor house of said county, shall be made to one or more of the justices of the levy court of said county; and if said justice or justices shall be of opinion, that the person or persons applying or applied for, is or are so circumstanced as to render a situation in the poor house particularly unsuitable, the said justice or justices are hereby directed to recommend such applicant or applicants to the levy court of said county, at their next annual session; and the said levy court (if they or a majority of them, shall be of opinion, that the circumstances of the applicant or applicants are such as to render a situation in the poor house particularly unsuitable) are hereby authorised and required to levy a sum of money for the support of said applicant or applicants out of the poor house, not exceeding thirty dollars for any one applicant; *Provided*, that the number of pensioners so to be supported out of the poor house, shall not at any one time exceed twenty, and the money so levied shall be collected as other public monies are; and shall be paid to the said out pensioner, or such other person or persons for their use, as the said levy court shall deem most suitable.

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CHAPTER 148.

Passed Feb. 24, 1825. Clerks to collect the tax

An act relative to licenses to retailers of spirituous liquors, licenses to retail spirituous liquors at horse races, and licenses to hawkers and pedlars.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That hereafter the clerks of the several counties in this state shall collect and receive on issuing licenses to retailers of spirituous liquors, to retailers of spirituous liquors at horse races, and to hawkers and pedlars, the taxes upon the same, which have been heretofore collected by sheriffs.

Blanks to be furnished.

2. *And be it enacted,* That the governor and council shall cause to be furnished to the treasurer of the Western shore, blanks for said licenses, of which said treasurer shall deliver on the application of the several county clerks, as may be deemed necessary, in the same manner, and at the same time that blank marriage licenses are now furnished.

Provisions of former act extended to thir.

3. *And be it enacted,* That the provisions of the act, entitled "An Act to secure the collection of the duties imposed upon marriage licenses," shall be extended, so far as applicable, to the licenses mentioned in this act; and so far as relate to the duties of the several county clerks, and treasurer.

Contrary acts repealed.

4. *And be it enacted,* That from and after the passage of this act that so much of any act or acts as are inconsistent with its provisions, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 149.

Passed Feb 24, 1825. Treasurer of Eastern shore to pay over half yearly—return statement.

An act relating to the Treasurers of the Western and Eastern Shores of Maryland.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the treasurer of the Eastern Shore, shall, on the first day of June, and first day of December annually, or within ten days thereafter, pay over to the treasurer of the Western shore, all public money which may have been received into the treasury o