

SAMUEL SPRIGG, ESQUIRE, GOVERNOR.

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tees as aforesaid, shall be dissolved, and the property herein before mentioned to be conveyed shall revert back to, and become the property of the said Isaac M·Kim and William D. M·Kim, and their heirs, in the same manner as if the same had not been conveyed to the trustees as aforesaid. CHAP. 24.

CHAP. XXV.

An Act authorising Richard Moffett, late Sheriff of Queen-Anne's County, to complete his Collections Passed Dec 31

1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Richard Moffett be and he is hereby authorised, to collect, until the first day of January eighteen hundred and twenty one, all balances due him as sheriff of Queen-Anne's county, in the same manner as he could or might have done within the time limited by law, any law to the contrary notwithstanding.* Time for collection extended.

2. *And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the said Richard Moffett, before he proceeds to execute or distrain on the property of any person or persons for officers fees or public dues, in virtue of this act, to deliver to such person or persons chargeable with the same, at least thirty days previous to levying such execution or distress, an account, written in words at full length, of the officers fees or public dues demanded of him, her or them, with an affidavit annexed, if required, that he hath not received any part thereof, nor any thing in security or satisfaction for the same, more than credit given, to the best of his knowledge.* Account to be delivered before executing property.

3. *And be it enacted, That the said Richard Moffett, before he derives any benefit from or under this act, shall lodge a copy of his collection books in the clerk's office of Queen-Anne's county, to be opened for the inspection of all persons interested in the same.* Books to be lodged in clerk's office.

CHAP. XXVI.

An Act for the benefit of the Reformed and Evangelical Lutheran Church on Silver Run, Frederick County, called St. Mary's Church. Passed Dec 31

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, by the petition of certain members of the Reformed and Evangelical Lutheran church on Silver Run, in Frederick County, that a certain Joseph Dyer, by his deed bearing date the fourteenth day of March Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight, conveyed to John Leaman, Nicholas Deel, George Michael Derr and Charles Angel, chosen as a committee of the said congregations, fifteen acres of land, called "Dyer's Mill Forrest," lying in the said county of Frederick, and that the said deed was neither acknowledged nor recorded until the March following; that the said George Dyer, and the committee, are long since dead, and the said petitioners have petitioned that the title of the said church to the said land may be confirmed and vested in certain trustees, for the use and benefit of the said church; therefore, Preamble.

1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall and may be lawful for the clerk of Frederick county to record the said deed among the records of said county, at any time within six months from the passage of this act, and that the said deed, when so recorded, shall be good and valid, and have the same operation and effect as if it had been recorded within the time limited by law, but the said deed shall not in any manner affect the title of any purchaser of the same land, in case of a purchase made* Deed to be recorded within six months.