

ing from the counties where the judgments were recovered against them, for preventing commissioners, sheriffs, sub-sheriffs and deputy-clerks, to plead as attornies in the respective courts to which they belong, and for amerciaments in the provincial and county courts, that relates to amerciaments, and the application of them, shall be and is hereby repealed.

C H A P. XII.

IV. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That it shall and may be lawful to and for the severall and respective justices of the county courts within this province, at their discretion, where it shall appear to them that any plaintiff or defendant, in any action hereafter to be brought in any of the said courts, shall suffer by the negligence or omission of the attorney or attornies, to immediately adjudge such attorney or attornies to pay the lawful costs accruing from such plaintiff or defendant through such negligence or omission, not exceeding four hundred pounds of tobacco, but if the cost shall surmount that sum, then in every such case the plaintiff or defendant shall be left to their remedy at common law; and that every attorney practising in any county court whereof he is not an inhabitant, shall be under the same circumstances as to any recovery to be had against him, as though he was actually an inhabitant of that county.

Penalty on attornies for neglect, &c.

C H A P. XIII.

An ACT for the better relief of poor debtors. Lib. LL. No. 4. fol. 567.

To be in force three years, &c. Continued 1725, ch. 4, 1728, ch. 6, 1732, ch. 20, 1736, ch. 3, expired in 1740, was again revived 1742, ch. 6, and 1746, ch. 3, and expired in 1750. Passed 3d of Nov. 1722.

C H A P. XIV.

A Supplementary act to the act for repairing the damages already sustained in the records of the land, secretary's, commissary's and county court offices, and for security of the same records for the future. Lib. LL. No. 4. fol. 569.

1716, ch. L.

C H A P. XV.

An ACT directing how fines shall be adjudged against such as neglect to appear at musters. Lib. LL. No. 4. fol. 570.

C H A P. XVI.

An ACT to prohibit the clandestine running of tobacco into any of the neighbouring colonies. Lib. LL. No. 4. fol. 571.

C H A P. XVII.

An ACT to enable Hugh Matthews to sell a tract of land lying in Queen Anne's county, called Jones's Fancy, whereof Dennis Sullivan died seized. Lib. LL. No. 4. fol. 573. A Private Act.

C H A P. XVIII.

An ACT for the relief of some persons that have suffered by the misconception of the laws heretofore made to regulate the making of tobacco. Lib. LL. No. 4. fol. 574. A Private Act.

C H A P. XIX.

An ACT for the limitation of actions of trespass and ejection. Lib. LL. No. 4. fol. 575. Dissent.

C H A P. XX.

An ACT for the relief of John M'Glester of Somerset county, gentleman. Lib. LL. No. 4. fol. 576. A Private Act.

C H A P. XXI.

An ACT to enable Thomas Dent, of Charles county, and Anne his wife, to sell part of a tract of land lying in Prince-George's county, called Locust Thicket, entailed on the said Dent's wife, and her heirs, &c. and for entailing other lands in Charles county in lieu thereof. Lib. LL. No. 4. fol. 577. A Private Act.

C H A P. XXII.

An ACT for the relief of William Griffin and William Jarvis, languishing prisoners in Calvert county, and Robert Morris, a languishing prisoner in Anne-Arundel county. Lib. LL. No. 4. fol. 580. A Private Act.