

XIII. PROVIDED ALWAYS, That no rules, regulations or ordinances, directed to be made by this act, be repugnant to the laws of this government, and provided said rules, regulations or ordinances, be published in the Baltimore news-paper.

C. H. A. P. XXIV. Proviso.

XIV. AND, for the greater security of the subject, BE IT ENACTED, That if any person or persons shall conceive him or themselves aggrieved by any judgment given in consequence of this act, it shall and may be lawful for such person or persons to appeal to the next county court, which said appeal shall be allowed by the wardens or magistrate, upon sufficient security given for prosecuting the same.

Persons aggrieved may appeal, &c.

XV. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the wardens may choose a treasurer, who is hereby empowered and required to receive all monies arising in virtue of this act, and to keep an account of all monies received, and paid by virtue of said act; and the treasurer is hereby required to give a bond, with one or more sufficient sureties, to be approved of by said wardens, to the said wardens, in the penalty of three thousand pounds; with condition for the payment of all such monies as shall come to his hands by virtue of this or any other act; and said treasurer shall yearly, or oftener if required, bring in a state of his accounts, and settle the same with the wardens, which account so settled and approved of by said wardens, shall be published annually in the Baltimore news-paper.

Wardens may choose a treasurer, &c.

XVI. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the wages of said wardens, a commission to the treasurer, which commission shall be six pence in the pound on all monies received in virtue of this act, the salary of the clerk, and all other expences necessarily arising out of this act, may and shall be paid out of the monies raised by virtue of this act.

Wages, &c. to be paid, &c.

By 1796, ch. 68, the powers given to the port-wardens by this act, are transferred to the corporation of the city of Baltimore.

C. H. A. P. XXV.

An ACT for the relief of Robert Long. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 314. A Private Act.

Passed 1st of June, 1783.

C. H. A. P. XXVI.

An ACT to invest the United States in congress assembled, with a power to levy, for the use of the United States, certain duties on imported foreign goods, wares and merchandises, as a fund for the payment of the debt contracted by congress during the late war. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 314.

This law was not to be in force before all the United States should pass laws vesting the congress with power to impose and levy the said duty; which was not done.

C. H. A. P. XXVII.

An ACT to repeal the act, entitled, An act empowering the trustees to rent the poor-house of Frederick county. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 317.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the act of assembly, entitled, An act to enable the trustees for the poor of Frederick county to rent out the poor-house, and apply the rent towards the support of the poor of that county; passed at a session of assembly begun and held at the city of Annapolis on Tuesday the seventeenth of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty, shall be and hereby is repealed.

An act repealed.

Chapter 6.

C. H. A. P. XXVIII.

An additional supplement to the act (a) to settle and adjust the accounts of the troops of this state in the service of the United States, and for other purposes. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 317.

(a) October, 1780, ch. 38.

WHEREAS by the resolve of congress of the tenth of April, seventeen hundred and eighty, it is declared, that so soon as proper documents can be obtained, congress will cause to be made good to all officers and soldiers, then in service, the depreciation of their pay: And whereas, by the act to settle and adjust the accounts of the troops of this state in the service of the United States, and for other purposes, passed October session, seventeen hundred and eighty, all officers and soldiers that had left the service before the passing of the said act were not provided for; therefore,

Preamble.