

his or their action or actions, and caused the defendant or defendants therein to be arrested, such action or actions shall not be taken or deemed within the provisions of this act.

III. AND, whereas the justices of the said court, at the last term, in August, adjourned to the court in course, and, without legislative provision, the sheriff of the said county cannot give bond until the second Monday in March next. BE IT ENACTED, That the justices of the said county court, or the chief justice, alone, or his associates, are hereby authorized and required to meet, and hold a court, on the second Monday of December next, for the purpose of taking bond from the sheriff of said county, and his securities, and that the bond so taken shall be as good and available, to all intents and purposes, as if the justices aforesaid had adjourned the said court to the second Monday in December aforesaid, and then met and taken the same.

Justices to meet, &c.

By ch. 47, the said justices are authorized to meet, &c. on the fourth Monday in December.

C. H. A. P. X.

An additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners for the regulation and improvement of Easton, in Talbot county, and to establish and regulate a market at the said town. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 383.

Passed 27th of Dec. 1791. 1791, ch. 14.

WHEREAS the powers granted to the commissioners by the original act to which this is a supplement, are deemed insufficient, by means whereof the commissioners have not made such regulations as are absolutely necessary for the regulation and improvement of the town;

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II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That commissioners of the said town shall have full power and authority to make such by-laws for the regulation and good government of the said town, and the inhabitants thereof, and to restrain all disorders and disturbances, and to prevent all nuisances, inconveniencies and annoyances, within the said town, and other matters, exigencies and things, within the said town, as to them, or a major part of them, shall seem meet and consonant to reason, and not contrary to the constitution and laws of this state, and the said by-laws shall be observed, kept and performed, by all the inhabitants of the said town, and all persons trading therein, under such reasonable penalties, fines and forfeitures, as shall be imposed by the said by-laws, not exceeding five pounds current money, the said penalties, fines or forfeitures, to be levied by distress and sale of the goods, or execution of the person so offending, and applied to the use of the said town.

Commissioners to make by-laws, &c.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the same powers given to the justices of the peace in any county within this state, by an act of assembly at November session, seventeen hundred and eighty-nine, entitled, An act to regulate the affize of bread, shall be and they are hereby vested in the said commissioners, to be exercised by them within the said town only.

Powers vested, &c. Chapter 8.

C. H. A. P. XI.

An ACT for the relief of John Love, of Harford county. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 384. A Private Act.

C. H. A. P. XII.

An ACT to open and extend the road leading from Whittingham's bridge, at Princess-Anne-town, in Somerset county, to the plantation of George Pollitt, deceased, until it intersects the road leading from Salisbury to Stevens's ferry, at the plantation of Joshua Morris. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 384.

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, by the petition of sundry inhabitants of Somerset county, that it would be of great advantage to themselves, and the public in general, to have the road opened and extended that leads from a place called Whittingham's Bridge, at Princess-Anne-town, in Somerset county, to the plantation of George Pollitt, deceased, until it intersects the main road leading from Salisbury to Steven's ferry, at the plantation of Joshua Morris;

Preamble.

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Gillis Polk, Jacob Morris, John Jones, of Princess-Anne, Thomas Pollitt, son of William, and William Pollitt, son of William, be

Commissioners appointed, &c. and