

C H A P. XXXII. granted, or intended to be granted, by the act to which this is a supplement, to the commissioners therein named.

Part of an act repealed. III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That so much of the act to which this is a supplement, as respects the appointment of commissioners, be and is hereby repealed.

Passed 23d of Dec. 1792. * 1790, ch. 56. C H A P. XXXIII. A Further supplement to an act, * entitled, An act for the relief of the securities of John Beall, former collector of the taxes for Prince-George's county. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 601.

Powers granted, &c. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all the powers given and granted, by the act to which this is a supplement, to the then existing commissioners of the tax of Prince-George's county, with respect to the adjusting the account between the said John Beall and his agents, deputies, collectors or receivers, and the compelling payment of the balances due from them to the said John Beall, be granted to the commissioners of the tax for said county for the time being, or who may hereafter be appointed, any thing to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding.

* 1790, ch. 16. C H A P. XXXIV. An additional supplement to an act, * entitled, An act directing the time, places and manner, of holding elections for representatives of this state in the congress of the United States, and for appointing electors on the part of this state for choosing a president and vice-president of the United States, and for the regulation of the said elections, and also to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 601.

Preamble. WHEREAS the said act does not prescribe what evidence shall be competent to convict the several sheriffs failing to deliver or transmit to the governor and council, within the time therein limited, returns of the elections of representatives to congress, or of electors of president and vice-president; and it is necessary, for the purpose of giving effect to the provisions of the said act, that some mode, compelling the payment of the penalties thereby imposed on sheriffs failing to comply therewith, should be established.

Upon presentment, a certificate to be evidence, &c. II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That upon any presentment or indictment hereafter preferred against any sheriff, for failing to make any of the said returns to the governor and council, within the time limited by the act to which this is a supplement, and also upon the trial of such indictment, a certificate from the governor and council, signed by the governor, and attested by the clerk of the council, and also authenticated by having the great seal affixed thereto, of the true time when any such return was by them received, shall be good and competent evidence thereof; or, in case no return has been made, a certificate from the governor and council as aforesaid, that there has been no return made, attested and authenticated as aforesaid, shall be good and competent evidence that no return has been made.

C H A P. XXXV. An ACT to establish the road from Baltimore-town towards Frederick-town, by Ellicott's upper mills, as far as the Poplar spring, as a public road, and for other purposes therein mentioned. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 602.

Preamble. WHEREAS sundry inhabitants of Baltimore, Anne-Arundel and Frederick counties, by their humble petition to this general assembly, have set forth, that from time immemorial there hath been a road leading from Baltimore-town to the town of Frederick by Dillon's Field, Ellicott's upper mills, Cumming's new buildings, Fox's, the Red House tavern, Cook's tavern, and the Poplar spring, and that it never having been made a public road by law, they are deprived of the benefit