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T. S. Lee to
execute deeds,
&c.

II. BE IT ENACTED, *by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That his excellency Thomas Sim Lee, Esquire, (a) be and he is hereby authorised and empowered, on the purchase money for the said property so sold being paid, to execute and acknowledge, to the purchaser or purchasers of the same, a deed or deeds for conveying the said property to the said purchaser or purchasers, in fee, which deed or deeds, so executed and acknowledged, shall be as good and effectual in law as if the said deed or deeds had been executed by any three or more of the trustees in the act aforesaid mentioned, any thing in the law to which this is a supplement to the contrary notwithstanding.

(a) By 1797, ch. 86, which recites that Thomas Sim Lee had declined so to do, the chancellor is empowered to convey the said lands.

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Passed 22d of
Dec 1792.
* 1774, ch. 28.

A Supplement to an act, * entitled, An act for the relief of insolvent debtors. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 626.

Preamble.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen with some of the justices of the peace of this state, whether, under the act of one thousand seven hundred and seventy-four, to which this is a supplement, they had not power to relieve persons from fines and forfeitures incurred for the breach of the penal laws of this state, and this legislature being willing to declare their opinion of the law; therefore,

Certain persons
not to be re-
lieved, &c.

II. BE IT ENACTED, *by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That it shall not be lawful for any judge or justices, in any county in this state, to relieve from confinement, by virtue of the said law to which this is a supplement, any person who may be committed to the custody of any sheriff for any fine or forfeiture incurred, or to be incurred, for the breach of any law of this state, or for the costs arising on any prosecution.

Duration.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That this law be and continue in full force as long as the act to which it is a supplement shall continue.

The act of 1774, ch. 28, is continued to 30th of October, 1805, &c. and the several continuances are noted under it.

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* 1791, ch. 24.

A Supplement to an act, * entitled, An act to improve and repair the streets in Elizabeth-town, in Washington county, and for other purposes therein mentioned. Lib. JG. No. 1. fol. 627.

Preamble.

WHEREAS by the act, entitled, An act to improve and repair the streets in Elizabeth-town, in Washington county, and for other purposes therein mentioned, commissioners were appointed to regulate the posting of footways in the sides of the streets, and paving the same, and were empowered to remove nuisances in said town, but not to remove the same at the expence of the persons causing the same; and the said commissioners complain to this general assembly, that the said footways are greatly injured by persons riding and leading horses on the same; and the said commissioners have represented, that the inhabitants of the said town are frequently endangered by persons straining their horses in the streets of said town, and that frequent accidents happen in said town by the firing of guns and pistols therein, and that the houses of said town are frequently in danger by persons permitting their chimnies to catch fire during dry seasons;

Horses not to
be rode on the
footways, &c.

II. BE IT ENACTED, *by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That if any person or persons shall ride or lead any horse or horses on the footways of the said town, except to enter any alley or gate, such person or persons shall forfeit the sum of five shillings current money.

Nor strained
through the
streets, &c.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That if any person or persons shall strain any horse or horses in the streets of said town, such person or persons shall forfeit and pay the sum of five shillings current money for every such offence.

Guns not to be
fired, &c.

IV. AND BE IT ENACTED, That if any person or persons shall fire any gun or pistol in the said town, such person or persons shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of five shillings current money.

Nuisances to be
removed, &c.

V. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said commissioners, when they discover any nuisances in said town, shall direct the person or persons causing the same to remove the said nuisances, and if such person or persons shall not remove the same within five days after such notice, the said commissioners shall cause the same to be removed, and charge the money expended in the removing the same to the person or persons causing the same.

VI. AND