

more water company than as before recited, or any use of the said company's water, but by express agreement, except in cases of fire, for the extinguishment hereof.

C H A P. XI.

An ACT to enable John M'Kim and John Brown, of Baltimore county, to convey certain lands to the uses therein mentioned.

Passed December 22.

WHEREAS, by the declaration of rights, all gifts, sales or devises of land, exceeding two acres, to any religious sect, order or denomination, for the support, use, interest or benefit of, or in trust for, the same, are declared void, without the leave of the legislature: And whereas the said John M'Kim and John Brown have represented to this general assembly, that they are seized and possessed of part of a tract of land, called Darley Hall, lying in Baltimore county, containing about thirty acres, and that they are willing and desirous to convey the same to the use of the religious society of people called Quakers, in Baltimore-town, as a pasture, if authorized so to do by the legislature,

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II. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the leave of the legislature shall be and is hereby granted, and the said John M'Kim and John Brown shall be and they are hereby authorized to convey to such persons as the said society of people called Quakers shall direct and appoint, the above-mentioned tract or parcel of land, in trust, for the use of the said religious society of people called Quakers, as a pasture, in fee-simple for ever, and for no other use or purpose whatsoever than for a pasture.

Leave granted, &c.

C H A P. XIII.

A Further supplement to the act to encourage the destroying of wolves.

Passed December 22.

WHEREAS, by the act, entitled, An act to encourage the destroying of wolves, it is enacted, that when any credible free person or persons should have brought before any justice of the peace, within any of the counties of this state, the head or heads of any wolf or wolves, and make oath, or affirmation, that the same were actually caught and killed within the limits of the county in which he or they pray an allowance, such justice should give such person or persons producing, a certificate of such head or heads produced and proved as aforesaid, and that every person or persons, who should produce a certificate as aforesaid to the justice of the county wherein the same was killed, at the levy court, the justices of said court should levy and assess money for the payment of the bounty the person or persons were entitled to by virtue of the act aforesaid: And whereas, previous to the division of Washington county, sundry persons were possessed of certificates as aforesaid, but the levy court of said county meeting after Allegany county was taken off and separated from Washington county, the justices of said court refused to levy money to discharge said certificates, and the justices of Allegany county also refused to discharge the same; therefore,

Preamble.

II. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the justices of the levy courts of Washington and Allegany counties be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed, to levy and assess in their respective counties, together with the sheriff's commission for collecting the same, such sum or sums of money as the said persons, so aforesaid circumstanced, are entitled to under the aforesaid act, proportionate to the property in each of the said counties, the same money to be paid by the sheriff to such person or persons as shall be entitled to receive the same.

Justices to levy money, &c.

C H A P. XIV.

An ACT for the relief of certain foreigners who have settled within this state, further supplementary to the act for naturalization.

Passed December 22.

WHEREAS the act for naturalization, passed at July session, in the year seventeen hundred and seventy-nine, declares, that every person who shall thereafter come into this state, from any nation, kingdom or state,

Preamble.