

C H A P.  
LXXXV.  
To receive monies, &c.

V. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the commissioners aforesaid shall be authorised to call for and receive from the collector, all monies levied and assessed for their use in pursuance of this act, as soon as the same shall become payable by law; and in case the said collector shall refuse or neglect to pay the same, the said commissioners shall have the same remedy for recovering the same as is prescribed by the act, entitled, An act for the speedy recovery of monies levied or received by sheriffs and collectors, passed November session, seventeen hundred and ninety-seven.

Their allowance.

VI. AND BE IT ENACTED, That each of the commissioners aforesaid shall receive, as a compensation for his services, the sum of one dollar for every day he shall attend, or be engaged in consequence of the provisions of this act, and the same shall be assessed in the county levy, and collected and paid as other county charges.

C H A P. LXXXVI.

Passed 7th of January, 1804.

An ACT for the support of Elizabeth Oden and Elizabeth Randal, of Montgomery county.

Preamble.

WHEREAS Elizabeth Oden and Elizabeth Randal, by their petitions to this general assembly have set forth, that they are very poor, and by their bodily infirmities are unable to support themselves by labour, and prayed that an act may pass for their support out of the poor-house; and the prayer of the petitioners appearing reasonable, therefore,

Trustees to support E. Oden, &c.

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall and may be lawful for the trustees of the poor of the said county, if they shall be of opinion that the peculiar circumstances of the said Elizabeth Oden and Elizabeth Randal are such as to render their situation in the poor-house particularly unsuitable for them, to support them as out-pensioners in addition to the number now allowed by the act, entitled, An act to enlarge the powers of the trustees of the poor in the several counties therein designated, and to allow the said Elizabeth Oden and Elizabeth Randal an annual pension, not exceeding thirty dollars each, to be paid at such time or times as the said trustees shall direct, the amount of which said pensions shall be levied in the same manner as the other expences of the poor-house in said county are.

C H A P. LXXXVII.

Passed 7th of January, 1804.  
Preamble.

An ACT to aid the defect of the deed therein mentioned.

WHEREAS Henry Lee, Matilda Lee, Ludwell Lee and Flora Lee, did in the month of September, seventeen hundred and eighty nine, execute a deed to John Wise, for a tract of land lying in Frederick county called Hill in the Middle, which was acknowledged before Culthurt Bullett and Richard Parker, two judges of the general court of Virginia, which is not according to the provisions of the laws of this state: And whereas on an application to the chancellor to have the said deed recorded, it was determined that it was not a case which came within the powers of the court of chancery; and the chancellor having recommended this as a proper case for legislative aid, therefore,

Chancellor, on application, to examine, &c.

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the chancellor shall have power, on application of the party or parties claiming title to the lands in the above recited deed, to examine into the circumstances relating to the same, and if it shall appear to him equitable and just, then it shall and may be lawful for the chancellor to order and decree the said deed to be recorded, either in the general court for the western shore, or in the county court of Frederick county, which, when recorded, shall have the same effect as if the same had been duly acknowledged and recorded agreeably to the laws of this state; provided, that nothing in this act shall operate to the prejudice of any purchaser from the grantors in the said deed, without notice of the same.

C H A P. LXXXVIII.

Passed 7th of January, 1804.

An ACT for the relief of Richard Morgan, of Montgomery county, and Christopher Woolford, of Washington county.

Provisions extended, &c.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all and singular the provisions and regulations contained in an act, entitled, An act for the relief of insolvent debtors, passed at March session, seventeen hundred and seventy-four, be and the same are hereby as fully and amply extended to Richard Morgan, of Montgomery county, and Christopher Woolford of Washington county, respectively, as if they had been committed to, and confined in, the gaols of their respective counties for debt.