

CHAPTER 89.

1811.

An act for the relief of William R. Smith, of the city of Baltimore.

Passed Dec. 27,
1811.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the judges of Baltimore county court, or any one of them be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered, without the said William R. Smith first obtaining the consent of two thirds, in amount, of his creditors, to extend and afford to the said William R. Smith, all the benefits, advantages and provisions of the act of assembly passed at November session eighteen hundred and five, entitled, "An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," and the several supplements thereto, in the same manner, and upon the same terms and conditions as if he had obtained the assent of two thirds of his creditors, to his release under the same.

Benefits of the
insolvent laws
granted.

CHAPTER 90.

An act for the benefit of the heirs of John Thomas, late of Harford county, deceased.

Passed Dec. 26,
1811.

WHEREAS, It is represented to this General Assembly by the petition of Jane, Elizabeth, James and Hannah Thomas, heirs and devisees of John Thomas, late of Harford county, deceased; and William Pyle, guardian of John and William Thomas, minor heirs and devisees of the said deceased, that the said John Thomas, by his last will and testament, devised all his real estate to his wife, until his son William should arrive at the age of sixteen years, at which time he ordered that the said real estate should be sold for the use of his heirs as therein mentioned. They further state, that the widow of the said John Thomas is also dead, and that the said William has not arrived to the age of sixteen; and that the said deceased has neglected to empower any person to make sale of the said real estate, or to convey the same when sold, and that it would be to the advantage of the said heirs and devisees, to have said real estate sold immediately; and have prayed that a law may pass authorising and empowering some person or persons to sell and dispose of, and convey the same; and the said prayer appearing reasonable:—Therefore,

Preamble.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That William Pyle and James Thomas, of

Trustees appointed, who