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make such compensation as they shall think proper.

He may receive such compensation.

Amount may be levied on the city.

more be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to make such additional compensation to the present chief justice of the court of oyer and terminer and jail delivery for Baltimore county, for his services, as they, the said mayor and city council, at their discretion, may think right and proper, not exceeding six hundred dollars per annum.

2 AND BE IT ENACTED, That the present chief justice of the court of oyer and terminer and jail delivery for Baltimore county may, and he is hereby authorised and empowered to receive such sum of money in addition to his present salary.

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said mayor and city council may annually levy the amount of such additional compensation on the assessable property in the city of Baltimore.

CHAPTER 206.

Passed Jan. 7, 1812.

*A supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning crimes and punishments."*

Convicts may pray the court before whom they have been or shall be tried.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all persons who shall have been, or may hereafter be convicted of any crime committed after the passage of the act to which this is a supplement, and during the suspension thereof, he or she may openly pray the court before whom such offender has been or shall be tried, that sentence may be pronounced agreeably to the provisions of said act for the like offence; in which case, the said court shall comply with the said prayer, and pass such sentence on such convict, as they would have passed had the said offence been committed subsequent to the passage and operation of the act to which this is a supplement.

CHAPTER 207.

Passed Jan. 7, 1812.

*An act to establish a Bank and incorporate a company under the name of the Cumberland Bank of Allegany.*

Where to be established.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a bank to be called and known by the name of the Cumberland Bank of Allegany shall be established in Cumberland in Allegany county.

Amount of capital, num-

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the capital stock of this bank shall consist of two hundred thousand