

Dec. Ses. 1816. objects authorised by said act, in like manner as if the number of shares mentioned in said act had been previously subscribed.

## CHAPTER 76.

Passed Jan. 15. An act to alter and amend the act, entitled, An act for the encouragement of such persons as will undertake to build Water Mills.

No miller to demand more than one eighth  
 Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the first day of March, in the year eighteen hundred and seventeen, no master, owner, miller, or other person properly belonging to, or otherwise owning any mill within this state, shall ask, demand or receive, for grinding any quantity or quantities of Indian corn or rye, above one-eighth part of every bushel of Indian corn or rye by him or them so ground as aforesaid, upon penalty and forfeiture of fifty dollars current money, for every offence, one half to the use of the state, and the other half to him or them that shall inform or sue for the same, to be recovered in the respective counties by action of debt, before any justice of the peace, in the manner as prescribed by law for the recovery of small debts out of court.

Part of an act repealed.

2. *And be it enacted,* That so much of the act to which this is an amendment, repugnant to the provisions herein contained, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Duration.

3. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall have force until the end of the next session of the general assembly.

## CHAPTER 77.

Passed Jan. 16. An Additional Supplement to the act, entitled, An act respecting a Monument or Statue to the memory of Washington.

Scite selected to be adopted.  
 Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the scite selected for the monument to the memory of Washington on North Charles-street, in the precincts of Baltimore, upon which said monument hath been commenced, shall be and the same is hereby adopted and confirmed in lieu of the place designated in the original act; and the care and custody of the said monument, when finished, shall belong to the mayor and city council of Baltimore.

Lottery authorised.

2. *And whereas,* it is doubtful whether the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, authorised to be raised by one or more lotteries for the erection of said monument, will be sufficient, therefore, *Be it enacted,* That James A. Buchanan, David Winchester, John Comegys, James Calhoun, junior, Nicholas G. Ridgely, James Williams, George Hoffman, James Patridge, Robert Miller, Washington Hall, Isaac M. Kim, Lemuel Taylor, Robert Gilmore, junr. Fielding Lucas, John Frick, James Barroll, Benjamin H. Mullikin, Nathaniel F. Williams, Levi Hollingsworth, Edward J. Coale, Dr. James Cooke, William Gwynn, and William H. Winder, or their survivors and survivor, be and they are hereby authorised to raise by lottery or lotteries, as is authorised in the original act to which this is an additional supplement, such further or other sum as may be necessary to finish and complete the