

Dec. Ses. 1817 in writing, to be signed by all the members of the said court, that this law shall be carried into execution, and shall also cause the said agreement to be entered on the records of the said court.

CHAPTER 127.

Passed Feb 5

A Supplement to the act, entitled, An act authorising a Lottery for raising a sum of money for the purposes therein mentioned, passed at November session eighteen hundred and nine.

Preamble

WHEREAS, several of the persons who were originally appointed managers for the above lottery are dead, Therefore,

Additional managers.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the honourable Richard T. Earle, James Barroll, Daniel C. Hopper, Tench Tilghman, Henry Alexander, and George Hayne, be added to the managers originally appointed, who now survive, be and hereby authorised and empowered to carry the objects of the original act into execution, upon their complying with the provisions thereof.

CHAPTER 128.

Passed Feb 6

An act for the relief of Thomas Duvall, of Prince-George's County.

Levy in his favour.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the levy court of Prince-George's county be and is hereby authorised and directed, to levy on the assessable property of said county, at their next county levy, such sum of money as they may think adequate to compensate Thomas Duvall for the loss of a certain negro boy convicted in Prince-George's county court, of burglary, and sentenced by the judges thereof to the penitentiary.

CHAPTER 129.

Passed Feb 5

An act authorising Commissioners to purchase a Fire-Engine for the use of the inhabitants of William's Port, in Washington County.

Engine may be purchased.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Jacob T. Towson, Michael A. Finley, Edmund H. Turner, William H. Van Lear and Michael G. Kessinger, be and they hereby are appointed commissioners to procure and purchase a fire-engine for the use of the inhabitants of William's Port, in Washington county, and also to procure by purchase, or otherwise, a suitable house in which the said engine shall be kept.

Sum which owners of property are to pay.

2. *And be it enacted,* That the commissioners aforesaid shall procure a copy of the latest assessments which has been made of the houses and other buildings in the said town, and shall be guided by the same in affixing the proportionate sum which each owner of property aforesaid shall pay towards the sum hereinafter mentioned, and if any buildings have been erected in the said town since the last assessment they shall be valued by any three disinterested men of the county, not residents of the said town, appointed by the commissioners, who shall act under oath, and shall be guided in their valuation by the relative value which said property may bear to other property in said town by the assessment list aforesaid.