

does not require that a landing place should be established at the CHAP. 178. aforementioned place, they shall report such opinion in writing to the levy court aforesaid; and each of the commissioners hereby appointed shall have an allowance of two dollars for each and every days attendance in discharging the duties herein required, to be levied, collected, and paid over to them, as other county charges are levied, collected and paid over.

5. *And be it enacted*, That if any person or persons whose land may be condemned for the landing aforesaid, shall conceive himself or themselves aggrieved, either by the assessment of damages, or by the location and condemnation as aforesaid, it shall and may be lawful for such person or persons to pray an appeal from the decision of said commissioners, or the said levy court, to the judges of Somerset county court, who are hereby authorised and empowered to empanel a jury, and by a feigned issue or issues to be framed for that purpose, try any fact or facts that may be thus put in issue, and finally to decide on such appeal as to them shall seem just and equitable.

Persons aggrieved may appeal to county court

CHAP. CLXXIX.

An Act for the benefit of John Barnes, Clerk of Charles County.

Passed Feb 15 1821

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That John Barnes, clerk of Charles county, be and he is hereby authorised and empowered, to send out fees for the year eighteen hundred twenty-one, for collection or execution, at any time until the fifteenth day of May next, any law to the contrary notwithstanding; *Provided however*, that every sheriff in whose hands fees shall be placed by the said John Barnes for collection, shall be allowed until the fifteenth day of June next to deliver the accounts of fees, or bills of particulars, to the respective persons, and to the fifteenth day of December next to account for and pay over the money for the said fees.

Allowed further time to send out fees, &c

Proviso

CHAP. CLXXX.

An Act for the relief of Lewis Helmes, of the City of Baltimore.

Passed Feb 15 1821

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, that Lewis Helmes of the city of Baltimore, is now imprisoned in the Baltimore county gaol for debts which he is unable to pay, and that he is deprived of the benefit of the insolvent laws of the state by reason of his not having resided in the state of Maryland for the last two years; **Therefore**,

Preamble

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the said Lewis Helmes shall be and he is hereby authorised to prosecute his petition for the benefit of the insolvent laws of this state, without being compelled to prove his residence in the state of Maryland for the last two years previous to his application for the benefit of said laws, and that his want of residence shall not disqualify him from obtaining the benefit of the said laws; *Provided always*, that in every other respect he comply with the conditions of the said insolvent laws, as fully as if he had resided the proper length of time in the state of Maryland, and this law had not been passed; *And provided further*, that he satisfy the court or commissioners, from whom he may obtain his discharge, by competent testimony other than his own oath, that he hath not come

Authorised to prosecute petition for benefit of insolvent laws

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