

SAMUEL SPRIGG, ESQUIRE, GOVERNOR.

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CHAP. CXCIII.

CHAP. 193.

An Act for the relief of Sally Handy, of Dorchester County.

Passed Feb 16 1821
Divorce granted

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the said Sally Handy be and she is hereby divorced from bed, board, and mutual cohabitation, with her husband John Handy.

Declared capable to take and hold property, &c

2. *And be it enacted,* That all the right and title which the said John Handy, by virtue of his marriage with the said Sally, had acquired to any property which she now is or may become entitled to, in any way or manner whatever, be and the same is hereby annulled and made void, and that the said Sally be and she is hereby declared capable to have, hold, take, receive, sue for and recover, by compromise, suit or suits in law or in equity, all such property, in as full and ample manner as if she were a *feme sole*, and had never been married, and to hold, use, and enjoy the same for her own use and benefit, and the same to dispose of, according to her will and pleasure, without the molestation, interference, or hindrance or consent of her said husband, in the same manner as she could or might have done were she a *feme sole*.

3. *And be it enacted,* That the property real and personal of the said John Handy is and shall be free, clear and exonerated, from all and every claim upon, or right in the same, acquired by or growing out of the marriage aforesaid to the said Sally Handy.

Property of John Handy exonerated from all claim growing out of marriage

CHAP. CXCIV.

A Further Supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry Insolvent Debtors, passed at November Session eighteen hundred and five.

Passed Feb 16 1821

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That in all cases where a trustee hath been, or hereafter shall be, appointed by virtue of the act to which this is a supplement, or by virtue of the act, entitled, An act relating to insolvent debtors, in the city and county of Baltimore, it shall and may be lawful for the said trustee, at any time after his appointment, to be discharged from his trust; *Provided,* that the said trustee shall petition the county court of the county in which he was originally appointed, setting forth his desire to be released from the further execution of the said trust, and in all other respects comply with the provisions of this act; *And provided also,* that it shall not be lawful for the said court to discharge any trustee as herein before mentioned, unless they shall be satisfied by competent testimony that it is for the interest of the creditor of such insolvent that the said trustee should be so discharged, and unless the said trustee shall also produce the assent in writing of two thirds in value of the said creditors to such discharge.

Trustee may be discharged

Proviso

2. *And be it enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the said county court, upon such discharge being made thereupon, to appoint another trustee into whose possession shall be delivered all the property and effects, if any, belonging to the estate of the insolvent debtor, which were originally conveyed to the trustee petitioning as aforesaid, or so much thereof as may then be remaining in his possession, subject nevertheless to such exceptions as may hereinafter be excepted, and the said petitioning trustee shall thereupon, under the direction of the court, make the proper conveyance and assignments of the same.

County court upon such discharge to appoint another &c