and section thereof, which are repugnant to, or inconsistant with the Dec. Ses. 162 provisions of this act, be, and the the same are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 59.

An act extending the time of taking the bond of the Sheriff of Saint Mary's County.

Passed Jan. 20, 1823.

WHEREAS it is provided by an act of the General Assembly pas- Preamble. sed at November session seventeen hundred and ninety four, entitled "An act for the amendment of the law in certain cases," that the Sheriffs bonds shall hereafter be taken on some day between the eighth of October and the first of January in each year. And whereas James Hayden, Sheriff of Saint Mary's county, hath not entered into bond, for the year eighteen hundred and twenty three agreeable to said act; Therefore

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the time Extension. of taking the bond of said Sheriff of Saint Mary's County, be extended to the fifteenth day of February next, and that if the said Sheriff at any time before or on the fifteenth day of February next, give bond agreeable to the provisions of the said recited act, the said bond shall have the same effect, to all intents and purposes, as if the said bond had been taken on or before the time prescribed by the said law.

CHAPTER 60.

An act authorising the Levy Court of Queen Ann's County to kevy a sum of money for the purchase of a lot of ground adjoining the Poor 16, 1823. House establishment of said County, for the benefit of said institu-

Passed Jan.

tion. WHEREAS it has been represented to this General Assembly, by Preamble. the petition of the Board of Trustees of the Poor, of Queen Ann's County, that they have contracted with a certain Thomas Bullin of Talbot County, trustee for the sale of the property of Nicholas Loveday, for a lot or part of a tract of land, adjoining their Poor House establishment and which belonged to said Nicholas Loveday;

Therefore. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Trustees rethe Board of Trustees aforesaid, after having ascertained the num- port. ber of acres so purchased, shall make a report to the Levy Court of said County, stating the sum of money necessary to be raised for the payment of the said lot or parcel of land.

2. And be it enacted, That the Levy Court of Queen Ann's County be and they are hereby authorised and required to levy, at their next annual levy, on the assessable property of the County aforesaid, the sum so reported to be necessary for the purchasing and securing to said County the property aforesaid.

3, And be it enacted, That the Collector of the Tax for Queen Ann's County, shall pay over to the Board of Trustees aforesaid, or to their order, the sum so levied and collected.

Collector shall pay.

4. And be it enacted, That on the payment of the purchase money of said property, by the said Trustees of the Poor of Queen Ann's County, or their successors, to the said Thomas Bullin, or to any other person who may be authorised to receive the same, or before such payment, if the parties should agree thereto, the said Trustees shall be, and they are hereby authorised, to receive a good and sufficient deed of conveyance of said property from the person er persons having power and authority to make the same, and Deed.