

Passed 15th of June, 1782.

C H A P. XXXI.

A Supplement to the act (a) to regulate public ferries. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 173.

Preamble.

WHEREAS many persons may, between the sitting of the several county courts in this state, be desirous to keep public ferries: And whereas no provision is made, nor any power given to the justices in that case;

Justices may appoint, &c.

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That on the application of any person desirous to keep a public ferry, at any place within this state, where ferries have heretofore been usually kept, any two justices of the peace may, between the sitting of the county court, appoint such person to keep ferry until the next county court, agreeable to the act for regulating public ferries; and any person obtaining such permit shall enter into recognizance before the two justices aforesaid, similar to the recognizance directed by the above recited act.

And grant licence, &c.

III. AND BE IT ENACTED, That when and as often as any person shall apply to the justices of any county court for a licence to keep a public ferry, and shall offer two good and sufficient securities, the said justices may and shall grant a licence to such person to keep ferry, notwithstanding the said court may have, previous to such application, granted licence or licences to other persons to keep ferry at the same place.

Continued to 30th October, 1805. For the several continuances see the note under the principal act.

C H A P. XXXII.

An ACT for vesting an estate in fee-simple in Eleazer M'Comb in one lot and a half of land lying in Chester-town, in Kent county. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 174. A Private Act.

C H A P. XXXIII.

An additional supplement to the act (b) to settle and adjust the accounts of the troops of this state in the service of the United States, and for other purposes. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 175.

Preamble.

WHEREAS by the resolve of congress of the tenth of April, seventeen hundred and eighty, it is declared, that so soon as proper documents can be obtained, congress will cause to be made good to all officers and soldiers then in service, the depreciation of their pay: And whereas by the act to settle and adjust the accounts of the troops of this state in the service of the United States, and for other purposes, passed at October session, seventeen hundred and eighty, such officers and soldiers as left service between the said tenth day of April and the passing of the said act are not provided for;

Chapter 38.

Certain officers, &c. allowed, &c.

II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all officers and soldiers of the troops of this state, who were in service on the tenth day of April, seventeen hundred and eighty, shall have the depreciation of their pay while in service made good to them, in the same manner as is directed by the aforesaid act to officers and soldiers who were in service at the passage of the aforesaid act.

C H A P. XXXIV.

An ACT for the relief of Richard Richards, a languishing prisoner in Frederick county gaol. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 176. A Private Act.

C H A P. XXXV.

An ACT in favour of Legh Master. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 178. A Private Act.

C H A P. XXXVI.

An ACT for the liquidation and payment of debts against persons convicted of treason. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 179.

Preamble.

Supplements November, 1782, ch. 24, November, 1783, ch. 34, November, 1787, ch. 23. WHEREAS citizens of this state may have claims against persons convicted and attainted of treason, and there is no mode by which such claims can be liquidated:

II. BE