

be heard and determined in the same manner as if such prosecution had been originally instituted therein.

NOVEMBER, 1808.—CHAPTER 46.

A further additional SUPPLEMENT to the ACT,* entitled, an Act for marking and bounding Lands. *1786, ch. 33.

See notes to the original act, ante page 238.

WHEREAS the act to which this is a further additional supplement does not extend its provisions to lands held for life or lives, nor to lands held under lease for five years, and it appearing just and proper that the privileges and provisions contained in said act be extended to lands held for life or lives, and also to lands held by lessees for years, under a certain limitation; therefore,

SEC. 2. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the passage of this act, the several county courts within this state shall have power and authority, under such limitations and directions as are prescribed in the act, and the supplements thereto, to which this is a further additional supplement, to grant and issue commissions for the purpose of marking and bounding lands, where the same may be held by lessees for life, or for years, and where the unexpired term of the last mentioned lease shall amount to twenty-one years or upwards, provided the leases under which the lands are held shall have been duly executed and recorded.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the commissions thus to be granted, when duly executed and returned by the commissioners, and confirmed by the county court, as is prescribed by the original act to which this is a further additional supplement, shall have the same effect, to all intents and purposes, as if the provisions of the said original act had extended to the cases herein mentioned; *Provided,* that nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect the right, title or interest, of any reversioner or remainder, in and to the land so to be marked and bounded.

CHAPTER 54.

A further SUPPLEMENT to an ACT,* entitled, an Act for the better regulation of Apprentices. *1793, ch. 45.

See notes to the original act, ante page 294.

WHEREAS by an act for the better regulation of apprentices, power is given to the justices of the several orphans courts of this state, and in their recess to the trustees of the poor, or any two justices of the peace, to bind out as an apprentice every orphan child, (the increase or profits of whose estate, whether real or personal, is or are not sufficient for the maintenance,