

## LAWS OF MARYLAND.

CHAP. 158.

Repeal

3. **AND BE IT ENACTED**, That any law or laws authorising the clerk a d register to keep their offices at a different place, inconsistent with, and repugnant to this act, be and the same is hereby repealed.

See 1801, ch. 98, and 1804, ch. 102.

CHAP. CLIX.

Passed Jan 30 1817

*An Act for the benefit of Thomas H. Bowie, Register in Chancery.*  
Lib. TH. No. 5, fol. 501. A Private Act.

CHAP. CLX.

Passed Feb 1 1817

*An Act to prevent the Fraudulent Sales of Flour and Whiskey.* Lib.  
TH. No. 5, fol. 302.

Penalty for giving  
any sum below  
market price for  
flour, &c

1. **BE IT ENACTED**, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the first day of March next if any person shall give, or promise to give, to any driver or person having charge of any wagon, or other carriage, any sum or sums of money, or goods of any description, for the purpose of obtaining flour or whiskey, entrusted to the care of such driver or person having the charge or care thereof, at any price below the market price of the day, or shall wilfully make out any bill or bills for the same, without stating the full amount paid, or promised to be paid, to such wagoner or person having care thereof, shall forfeit and pay a sum of money not exceeding fifty and not less than twenty dollars, one half to the use of the informer, and the other half to the use of the person injured, to be recovered before any justice of the peace in the same manner as small debts are recovered out of court.

— On drivers receiving money as an inducement for selling below market price

2. **AND BE IT ENACTED**, That if any driver or person having charge of any wagon, or other carriage, shall take or receive any sum or sums of money, or goods of any description, from any person or persons, as an inducement for selling any flour or whiskey under the market price of the day, and not make return thereof to the proper owner or owners of such flour or whiskey, and the facts thereof being proven before any justice of the peace in any town or county within this state, he shall pay to the person injured double the amount of the sum so received, and shall moreover pay a fine not exceeding twenty and not less than five dollars, one half of which fine to the person prosecuting for the same, and the other half to the use of the poor of the county in which the case is heard, to be recovered as debts of equal amount are by law recoverable out of court.

CHAP. CLXI.

Passed Jan 31 1817  
1807, ch. 100.

*A Further Supplement to the act\*, entitled, An act for the Opening of Bridge Street, in the Eastern Precincts of the City of Baltimore.*  
Lib. TH. No. 5, fol. 302.

This act appears to be repealed by 1817, ch. 85.

CHAP. CLXII.

Passed Feb 1 1817

*An Act to widen a part of Bridge Street in the City of Baltimore.*  
Lib. TH. No. 5, fol. 304.

Street may be  
widened

1. **BE IT ENACTED**, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the city commissioners of Baltimore be and they are hereby authorised and required, to widen Bridge-street in said city, thirty