

CHAP. 266. to be levied, collected and paid, as other county charges in said county are.

CHAP. CCLXVII.

Passed Feb 5, 1817 *An Act to continue in force the Acts of Assembly which would expire with the present Session.* Lib. TH. No. 5, fol. 440.

Acts continued

* 1814, ch. 27

1. **BE IT ENACTED**, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all such acts, and parts of acts of assembly, (except the act*, entitled, An act to authorise the several banks in this state to issue small notes for a limited time, and for other purposes,) as would expire with the present session, be and the same are hereby continued until the twentieth day of November next, and until the end of the next session of assembly which shall happen thereafter.

CHAP. CCLXVIII.

Passed Feb 5, 1817 *An Act authorising a Lottery or Lotteries for the purpose of purchasing a Public Library, and establishing and endowing a Free School in Prince-George's County.* Lib. TH. No. 5, fol. 441.

Lottery authorised
managers to give
bond

1. **BE IT ENACTED**, by the General Assembly of Maryland. That it shall and may be lawful for William Beanes, John Read Magruder, Trueman Tyler, John Hodges, (of Thomas,) Henry Ashton, Thomas R. Hodges and William B. Beanes, or a majority of them, to propose a scheme or schemes of a lottery or lotteries, to raise a sum of money not exceeding twenty thousand dollars clear of all expenses incurred in drawing the said lottery or lotteries, and to sell and dispose of the tickets thereof, and to draw the same; provided, that the said William Beanes, John Read Magruder, Trueman Tyler, John Hodges (of Thomas,) Henry Ashton, Thomas R. Hodges, and William B. Beanes, or a majority of them who undertake to act under this law, before the sale or disposal of any ticket or tickets in said lottery or lotteries, give their bond to the state of Maryland, in the penalty of forty thousand dollars, conditioned that they will well and truly apply so much money arising therefrom, within sixty days after the drawing of the said lottery or lotteries be completed, as will satisfy the fortunate adventurers for prizes drawn by them; and shall, within three months after the drawing of the said lottery or lotteries be completed, pay over to the Philomathean Society of Upper-Marlborough, the money thus raised, to be by them applied, within one year after the drawing of the said lottery or lotteries shall be completed, to the purchase of a public library, and the establishment and endowment of a free school in Prince-George's county.

† ch. 143

Bond to be recorded
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2. **AND BE IT ENACTED**, That it shall be the duty of the said managers, before they act as such, to lodge the bond entered into as aforesaid in the office of the clerk of Prince-George's county, there to be recorded, and upon such bond, or any office copy thereof, suit or suits may be instituted against the obligors therein, or any of them, or their legal representatives, for any breach or non-compliance with the same.

Tickets may be
sold in any part of
the state

3. **AND BE IT ENACTED**, That the said managers be and they, or any person or persons appointed by them, are hereby authorised to dispose of and sell all or any of the tickets of the said lottery or lotteries in the city of Baltimore, or any part of this state, exclusive of any control over the same by the corporation of the