

**CHAP. 96.** pounded, and if the owner or owners shall not, within ten days after the setting up said advertisements, prove his or her property therein, and make compensation for the injury, if any, which may have been sustained by any inhabitant of either of the aforesaid hundreds, to be ascertained by any two disinterested persons, inhabitants of the hundred wherein the said swine are impounded, and shall not pay, for every such swine the sum of twenty-five cents for every day it shall have been so impounded, it shall and may be lawful for the person or persons so impounding as aforesaid, to sell or kill the same, and the person or persons so selling or killing the said swine, shall deduct the costs and damages out of the sale or value thereof, to be ascertained by two disinterested persons of the hundred where such swine were impounded, and the overplus, after said deduction, the person or persons so selling or killing the said swine shall pay to the owner or owners thereof.

Persons sued for selling or killing them may give this act in evidence.

Proviso,

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That if any person or persons shall be sued or impleaded for selling or killing any such swine as aforesaid, the defendant or defendants may plead the general issue, and give this act and the special matter in evidence; *Provided*, that nothing in this act contained shall be construed to extend to any part of Cecil county further than is herein above mentioned.

CHAP. XCVII.

Passed Jan 4, 1807. *An Act for the payment of the Journal of Accounts.* Lib. TH. No. 1, fol. 295.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it appears by the journal of accounts of this session, that there is due from this state the sum of twenty-seven thousand nine hundred and seventy-three dollars and twenty-two cents,

Treasurer authorized to pay.

2. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the western shore shall and he is hereby authorized and required, to pay the several persons, their executors, administrators, assigns or order, or to such of them as shall offer to receive the same, the several sums of current money allowed to them respectively, as they appear to be settled and ascertained by the said journal of accounts, out of any money now in the treasury, or that shall come into the treasury, subject to the appropriation of the general assembly.

CHAP. XCVIII.

Passed Jan 4, 1807. *A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry Insolvent Debtors.* Lib. TH. No. 1, fol. 296.

Preamble.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen on the construction of several of the provisions of the act of the general assembly of Maryland, passed at November session, one thousand eight hundred and five,\* entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, and the said law in some instances requiring amendment; and it appearing proper to remove the aforesaid doubts, and to remedy the defects in the said law, therefore,

\* Ch. 110.

2. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That on the application of any insolvent debtor to any county court of the county in which the said debtor shall reside, or to any one of the judges thereof, before the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ten (a), it shall and may be lawful for the said

Benefit of insolvent law extended to persons applying before 1st January, 1810, &c.

(a) See note (p) under 1805, Ch. 110, s. 21.