

1831.

LAWS OF MARYLAND.

CHAP. 227.

CHAPTER 227.

Passed Mar. 7, 1833

*An act to encourage the destruction of Crows, in this state.*

Levy of six cents and a quarter for each head.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That if any person residing in this state, shall bring to any justice of the peace in the county wherein the person or persons residing, the head of any crow or crows, killed after the passage of this act, such person shall, for every such head, be allowed in the county levy of said county, the sum of six and a quarter cents for each head, and the justice of the peace before whom such head or heads shall be brought, is hereby required to give the person or persons bringing the same a certificate thereof, and cause the said head or heads to be burned or otherwise destroyed in the presence of the person or persons on delivery.

Certificate.

Oath required.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted,* That no person whatsoever, shall be entitled to any allowance for any such head or heads, without first making oath, or affirmation, as the case may be, that such crow or crows were taken and killed in the state of Maryland, where such certificate is applied for, since the passage of this act, and that no certificate hath been obtained from any other justice of the peace for the same; and that it shall be the duty of each and every justice of the peace, before whom such head or heads may be brought by virtue of this act, to take and receive the oath or affirmation of the party bringing the same, free and clear from all charges against the person or persons making such oath or affirmation, any thing in any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

Free of charge.

Counties excepted

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted,* That nothing contained in this act, shall apply to Prince George's and Charles counties.

Repealing clause.

Sec. 4. *And be it enacted,* That all laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 228.

Passed Mar. 9, 1832

*An act to incorporate the Port Tobacco Savings Bank.*

Company incorporated.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That John Matthews, John G. Chapman, John N. Weems, William Thompson, Henry Brawner, Thomas Rogerson, Joseph A. Turner, Robert Semmes, Aquilla Bate-man, Robert Fergusson, Francis Wills, William P. Comp-