

## CHAPTER 76.

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*A further additional supplement to the act, entitled an act to provide for the public instruction of Youth in Primary Schools throughout this State, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and twenty-five, chapter one hundred and sixty-two, so far as the same relates to Kent County.* Passed Feb. 29, 1840.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the passage of this act, it shall and may be lawful for the trustees of the several school districts in Kent county, to adopt such regulations as to the admission into the primary schools, of their respective school districts, of children not residing within their respective districts, as to them shall be deemed necessary for the interest of the children residing in and receiving tuition in said district schools, and to prevent the introduction of a greater number of scholars, not residing in said district, than can be properly attended to by the teachers of said schools, or to the exclusion or prejudice of the children resident in said school district; *provided,* that nothing in this act shall be so construed to prevent the admission of such children from the adjoining districts, who shall reside nearer to the school house of such adjoining districts, than the school house of the district in which such children may reside. Trustees to adopt rules, &c. Proviso

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That so much of the sixth section of the supplemental act, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, chapter three hundred and three, as may be repugnant to, or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be and the same is hereby repealed. Repealing clause

## CHAPTER 77.

*An act to abolish the Magistrates' Courts of Allegany County, and to extend the jurisdiction of a single Justice of the Peace in said county.* Passed Mar. 3, 1840.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the first day of May, eighteen hundred and forty, the act, entitled an act to establish Repealed, as relates to Allegany county