

whom the suit is brought to try the same at the term to which the writ is made returnable.

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4. *And be it enacted*, That the said Casparus Meginnis shall not be liable for any debts to be hereafter contracted by the said Mary Meginnis.

Liability released.

5. *And be it enacted*, That the annuity hereby directed to be paid, shall cease on the death of the said Casparus Meginnis, or the said Mary Meginnis, whichever of them shall first die, and that nothing herein contained shall in any manner prevent the said Mary, if she shall survive the said Casparus Meginnis from claiming the part or share of his estate, real, personal or mixed, which she would be entitled to if this act had not been passed.

Case of death.

6. *And be it enacted*, That if the said John Crane shall die, or refuse, or neglect to act as trustee as aforesaid, it shall and may be lawful for the orphans' court of Kent county, on the application of the said Mary Meginnis, to appoint a trustee for her benefit, who shall thereupon be vested with all the authority hereby given to the said John Crane.

Trustee.

CHAPTER 96.

An act for the benefit of Joseph Harris, clerk of Saint Mary's County Court. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Joseph Harris, clerk of St. Mary's county court, be, and he is hereby authorised and empowered to send out fees in the year eighteen hundred and twenty-four for collection or execution at any time until the first day of April next, any thing in any law to the contrary notwithstanding;—*Provided, however*, that every sheriff in whose hands fees shall be placed by the said Joseph Harris, for collection, shall be allowed until the first day of June next, to deliver the accounts of fees or bills of particulars to the respective persons, and to the twentieth day of November next, to account for and pay over the money for the said fees.

Passed Feb. 6, 1824. Time extended.

CHAPTER 97.

An act for the relief of Samuel Meeds, of Queen Ann's County.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Thomas Wright, the third, of Queen Ann's County, be, and he is hereby authorised and empowered to make and execute a deed of conveyance to Samuel Meeds, of the said county, conveying and assuring to him the lands sold by Gustavus W. T. Wright, to the father of the said Samuel Meeds, by virtue of the act, entitled, an act to appoint Gustavus W. T. Wright trustee, to sell and dispose of the lands therein mentioned, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and nineteen, chapter forty-one.

Passed Feb. 6, 1824. Authorised to execute a deed.

2. *And be it enacted*, That such deed duly executed and recorded, shall have the same force, effect and validity as if the same had been made and executed by Gustavus W. T. Wright, in his life time, under and by virtue of the act of assembly above recited.

Confirmation.

CHAPTER 98.

An act for the relief of Mary Smith, of the City of Baltimore.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That John Smith shall, from the passage of this act, be, and he is hereby altogether deprived of all and every interest, authority, power and control, in, over and to the person of Mary Smith, his wife, as fully as if she had never been married.

Passed Feb. 4, 1824. Partial divorce.