

Dec. Ses 1824 appeals, the clerks of the several county courts, the clerk of the city court of Baltimore, the register in chancery, and the registers of wills of the several counties in this state, were required to renew their several bonds on the first day of August eighteen hundred and twenty four, and on default thereof, were subjected to a penalty of one thousand dollars, and as some or all of the said officers failed to renew their bonds on the day appointed in the said act,

Bonds made valid,

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That in all cases where the said officers, or either of them, since the passage of the said act, shall have renewed their said bonds before or after the day appointed in the said act, the same shall be deemed as valid and binding as if they had been renewed on the first day of August, eighteen hundred and twenty four; and the said officers shall not in any manner be subject to the penalty imposed by the second section of the said act; *Provided,* that the said bonds shall have been approved by the officers authorised by the said act, to approve of the same.

One judge may approve of bonds,

2. *And be it enacted,* That from and after the passage of this act, the bonds to be executed by the clerks of the several county courts in this state, under the act to which this a supplement, may be approved by any one of the judges thereof.

#### CHAPTER 96.

Passed Feb. 11, 1825.  
Deed confirmed.

An act for the benefit of the heirs of Patrick Kenedy, late of Cecil county, deceased.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the deed from Benjamin Cutler and wife, to Patrick Kenedy all of Cecil county, executed on the sixteenth day of September, eighteen hundred and fifteen, and duly recorded among the land records of Cecil county, purporting to convey to the said Kenedy, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, a parcel of land therein described, shall be valid and have effect to vest in the heirs and representatives of the said Kenedy, a legal title to the said land and the appetenances thereunto belonging, in as full and ample a manner as if the said Kenedy had been a naturalised citizen of the United States, at the time of the execution of said deed, *Provided,* that nothing herein contained shall in any manner be taken or construed to effect the right of any person of, in and unto the said property, acquired before the passage of this act, either by deed, mortgage or otherwise.

Proviso,

#### CHAPTER 97.

Preamble.

An act for the relief of Edward Ellsworth of the City of New-York. *Whereas,* Edward Ellsworth, a citizen of the state of New-York, is confined in Baltimore county jail for debt, and has applied for the benefit of the several acts of assembly, passed for the relief of insolvent debtors, and cannot receive the benefit thereof by reason of his want of residence in this state for two years preceding his application; Therefore,

Insolvent law granted.

*SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the judges of Baltimore county court are hereby authorised and required to grant to Edward Ellsworth, of the city of New-York,