

CHAP. 106. standard of weights and measures, and as much fraud and imposition may be practised from a want of such standard, BE IT ENACTED, that the mayor and city council shall have and exercise the right of regulating all weights and measures within the city, and precincts aforesaid, by the present standard, until one shall be determined on by congress.

May or to regulate weights and measures.

Commencement.

4. AND BE IT ENACTED, That this act shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of February next.

Part of an act repealed.

5. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all and every provision of the act to which this is a supplement. that is inconsistent with this act, be and the same is hereby repealed.

There were sundry other sections, making alterations in the charter of Baltimore, but they were not to have effect unless assented to by a majority of all the members of the first branch of the City Council, in the first session, after a new election, which not having been done, the sections are omitted as having no operation. See 1807, ch. 152.

CHAP. CIX.

Passed Jan 27 1806 *An Act to continue certain Acts of Assembly.* Lib. TH. No. 1, fol. 167.

Acts continued.

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all and every act or acts of assembly which are limited by law to continue to the end of the present session of assembly, or which would expire during the same, or before the end of the next general assembly, be and they are hereby severally continued until the thirty-first day of October next, and until the end of the next session of assembly thereafter, unless such as are repugnant to, or inconsistent with, any law which may have passed during the present session of assembly, and subject also to any alterations which have been made therein.

By the above act the following acts were continued to the 30th October 1805, and to the end of the next session which should happen thereafter, subject to alterations, &c. which had been made therein, viz:

1744, ch. 20, An act for punishment of horse stealers, and other offenders. Continued by 1802, ch. 106. See 1799, ch. 61.

1745, ch. 15, An act for the gauge of barrels for pork, beef, pitch, tar, turpentine, and tare of barrels for flour or bread. Continued by 1798, ch. 71.

1751, ch. 11, An act to make the testimony of convicted persons legal against convicted persons. Continued by 1798, ch. 71.

1753, ch. 16, An act for repairing the public roads in this province. Continued, as to Saint Mary's, Calvert, Charles and Dorchester counties, by 1798, ch. 71.

February 1756, ch. 12 A supplementary act to the act, entitled, An act for repairing the public roads in this province. Continued as 1753, ch. 16.

November 1766, ch. 25. An act to oblige infected ships and other vessels, coming into this province, to perform quarantine. Continued by 1799, ch. 55.

1769, ch. 18. A Supplementary act to the act, entitled, An act ascertaining the height of fences, to prevent the evil occasioned by the multitude of horses, and restraining horse rangers within this province, and to redress the great evil accruing to this province by the multiplicity of useless horses, mares and colts, that run in the woods. Continued by 1799, ch. 55.

November 1770, ch. 4. An act to establish a market in Frederick town, in Frederick county, and for the regulation of the said market. Continued by 1798, ch. 71.

1771, ch. 15. An act to prevent the exportation of flour not merchantable from George town, in Frederick county. Continued by 1798, ch. 71, and repealed by 1799, ch. 12.

1774, ch. 28. An act for the relief of insolvent debtors. Continued by 1798, ch. 71, and repealed by 1817, ch. 183.

October 1778, ch. 21. An act for amending and declaring the law in the cases therein mentioned. Continued by 1799, ch. 56.