

THE LAWS
OF
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Transmitted, according to Law, to

Hon. Samuel Hillman,

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II. *And be it further enacted*, That the Jurors appointed and summoned according to the directions of this act, shall be entitled to the same pay as hath been heretofore allowed to Jurors attending said Courts; any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

III. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall be in force from and after the ratification thereof.

CHAP. CIII.

An act to authorize Minor Smith and Lucy Johnston to extend a dam across First Broad River, in the county of Rutherford.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North-Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That Minor Smith and Lucy Johnston be, and they are hereby authorized to extend a dam from their own lands across First Broad river, and touching a shoal owned by them in the county of Rutherford, for the purpose of building a public mill; any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

II. *And be it further enacted*, That whenever the said First Broad river, shall become navigable above the said mill, then the owners of said mill shall, at their own expense, construct and keep in good repair a lock or sluice sufficient for the passage of any boat or boats navigating the same.

III. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall be in force from and after the ratification thereof.

CHAP. CIV.

An act for the divorce of Henry Workman Conner and his wife Catharine.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North-Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same. That the bonds of matrimony now subsisting between Henry Workman Conner, of the county of Lincoln, and his wife Catharine, be dissolved; and that the said Henry Workman Conner and his wife Catharine be, and they are hereby as fully and absolutely divorced from each other, in the same manner as if the rights of matrimony had never been solemnized between them.

CHAP. CV.

An act concerning the County Court of Person county.

WHEREAS great inconvenience is experienced in the county of Person, from the difficulty of collecting a majority of the Justices of the Peace, for the transaction of public business,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passing of this act, it shall be lawful for eleven Justices of the Peace of the county of Person to do and perform any and all acts which required a majority of the Justices of said county heretofore to do; and they are hereby declared and constituted to be able and capable to transact any business which heretofore required a majority to transact: any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

CHAP. CVI.

An act for the divorce of Caleb Miller, and his wife Rachael.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the bonds of matrimony now subsisting between Caleb Miller, of the county of Lin-

coln, and his wife Rachael be dissolved; and that the said Caleb Miller, and his wife Rachael be, and they are hereby as fully and as absolutely divorced from each other in the same manner as if the rites of matrimony had never been solemnized between them.

CHAP. CVII.

An act to attach a part of the second regiment of Guilford county militia to the first regiment of said county

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North-Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That a part of the dividing line between the first and second regiments of Guilford county militia may be so altered as to begin at Martinsville, following the Greensborough road to George Albright's, from said Albright's, west by Dr. Caldwell's, senr. into the Greensborough road at William Lambert's; thence on said road, by New Garden Meeting-House, to the old Salisbury road; from thence down the old Salisbury road, by Balinger's, to Martinsville; and that the above described boundary shall be hereafter attached to the first regiment of militia of said county; any law or custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

CHAP. CVIII.

An act to amend an act, passed in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifteen, entitled "an act to authorize the county Court of Montgomery to appoint a committee of Finance to settle with the officers of said county therein mentioned."

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North-Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That so much of the before recited act as requires a majority of the acting Justices of said county to be present on the allowance of any claims against the county, be, and the same is hereby repealed and made void.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That in future, no claims except such as are now fixed by law, shall be allowed by said Court, except seven Justices be present in Court on making such allowance: any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

CHAP. CIX.

An act to authorize David Lloyd to erect a gate on the public road leading to White-Hall Ferry in the county of Bladen.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That David Lloyd be, and is hereby authorized and empowered to erect a gate across the public road leading to White-Hall Ferry, in the county of Bladen, at the junction of said road with the Sand Hills, on the north east side of Cape-Fear river, subject to the same rules, regulations, restrictions and immunities as other gates in like manner are authorized.

CHAP. CX.

An act to authorize Samuel Salyear, junr. of the county of Currituck, to erect a gate across the public road leading from Currituck Court-House, across his land, to Bell's Island.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North-Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That Samuel Salyear, junr. be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to erect a gate across the public road, leading from Currituck Court-House, across his land,