

CHAP. 69.

Rights and obligations continued.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That all rights and privileges which are now enjoyed by the said Samuel Raitt Creighton, and that all liabilities to which he is now subject under the name of Samuel Raitt Creighton, be and the same are hereby continued and extended to him under the name of Samuel Raitt Keene.

CHAPTER 69.

Passed Feb. 19, 1832. *An act for the relief of Daniel Orrell, and others, of Caroline County.*

Preamble.

WHEREAS, it is represented to this General Assembly by the petition of Daniel Orrell, of Caroline county, that a certain Joseph Boon, late of said county, departed this life early in the year eighteen hundred and thirty, leaving a widow and four children, two sons named Joseph and James respectively, and two daughters, the one named Rebecca, who intermarried with the said Daniel Orrell, and the other Susan or Susanna Boon, who is under the age of twenty-one years, and now under the guardianship of her mother; that the said Joseph Boon owned and possessed at the time of his death, about nine hundred acres of land, all in one body, lying and being in the county aforesaid, which in his last will and testament, he devised to his sons above named, in fee simple, pointing out in his said will a division between them; that since the death of Joseph Boon the father, his two sons, Joseph and James, to whom his said lands were devised, have both died; in consequence of which, the lands which were devised to them, have descended to the two sisters, viz: the Petitioner's wife and Susan or Susannah Boon, and that it is the desire of the said petitioner to effect a division of the said land between them. *And whereas*, doubts have arisen, whether a division of the same can be effected by virtue of one commission only, to be issued out of Caroline county court, under the law to direct descents, or whether there should be two commissions to effect the same, in which latter case much unnecessary expense must be incurred;—Therefore,

Commissioners to value and partition

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That it shall and may be lawful for the judges of Caroline County Court, and they are hereby directed and required to issue a commission to five judicious persons to be therein named, who shall be vested with full power and