

Cost, or any Part thereof, but that all such Persons shall be answerable for the same in such Manner as they were before the passing this Act.

IV. *PROVIDED* always, and be it Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That notwithstanding the Discharge of the said *Thomas Lambden, Nathan Brittingham, Thomas Todd, Jasper Hall, Daniel Wells, Benjamin Berry, Thomas Reynolds, and Edward Dogan*, all and every Debt or Debts, due or owing from them, or either of them, and all and every Judgment had and taken, or Decree obtained, against them, or either of them, shall stand, and be good and effectual in the Law, to all Intents and Purposes, against the Lands and Tenements, Hereditaments, Goods and Chattels of them, and every of them, which they, or either of them, or any other Person in Trust, or to the Use of them, or either of them, at the Time of the Discharge of the said *Thomas Lambden, Nathan Brittingham, Thomas Todd, Jasper Hall, Daniel Wells, Benjamin Berry, Thomas Reynolds, and Edward Dogan*, or either of them, or which they, or either of them, shall or may at any Time hereafter be seized or possessed of, or interested in, to their own Use, or to the Use of either of them, or in their own proper Right, or in the proper Right of either of them, either in Law or Equity (except the Wearing Apparel and Bedding, or Working Tools of them, or either of them, not exceeding the Value of Five Pounds Current Money), and it shall and may be lawful for any of their Creditors, their Executors, Administrators or Assigns, to take out a new Execution, or new Executions, against the Lands, Tenements, Hereditaments, Goods or Chattels, of the said *Thomas Lambden, Nathan Brittingham, Thomas Todd, Jasper Hall, Daniel Wells, Benjamin Berry, Thomas Reynolds, and Edward Dogan*, or either of them (except as before excepted), for the Satisfaction of his, her, or their Debt, or Debts, in such Sort, Manner and Form, as he, she or they, might have done, if the said *Thomas Lambden, Nathan Brittingham, Thomas Todd, Jasper Hall, Daniel Wells, Benjamin Berry, Thomas Reynolds, and Edward Dogan*, or either of them, had never been taken in Execution, or discharged by Virtue of this Act.

Debts to stand good in Case, &c.

V. *AND* be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Action of Escape be brought against any Sheriff aforesaid, or any Suit or Action be brought against any Justice or Justices, for performing their Office, in Pursuance of this Act, he or they may plead the General Issue, and give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence; and if the Plaintiff be Nonsuit, or discontinue his or her Action, or Verdict pass against such Plaintiff, or Judgment upon Demurrer, the Defendant shall have and recover double Cost.

Actions of Escape.

VI. *PROVIDED*, That nothing in this Act shall extend, or be construed to extend, to bar any Creditor or Creditors of the beforementioned Prisoners, or either of them, from having or maintaining any Action of Escape against any Sheriff, who hath permitted any Escape before the making of this Act.

Proviso.

VII. *PROVIDED* nevertheless, That in Case the said *Thomas Lambden, Nathan Brittingham, Thomas Todd, Jasper Hall, Daniel Wells, Benjamin Berry, Thomas Reynolds, and Edward Dogan*, or either of them, shall, at any Time after the making such their Oath or Oaths, or taking such Affirmation as aforesaid, be convicted of wilful and corrupt Perjury thereupon, or of a wilful Breach or Non-compliance with the Tenor of such Oath, or Affirmation, as aforesaid, that then the said *Thomas Lambden, Nathan Brittingham, Thomas Todd, Jasper Hall, Daniel Wells, Benjamin Berry, Thomas Reynolds, and Edward Dogan*, or such of them as shall be convicted

If perjur'd, not to receive any Benefit from this Act.