

Liber H. S. sufficient to satisfy the Sheriffs their Imprisonment Fees, that then
 No. 1 the said Prisoners, and every of them, whose Effects shall not be sufficient to pay and satisfy their Imprisonment Fees, as aforesaid, shall satisfy and pay to the Sheriffs the Residue of their Imprisonment Fees: Provided, That the Sheriffs shall not prosecute, detain, or imprison the said Prisoners, or any of them, within Three Years after his or their Releasement; any Thing contained in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

[The Prisoners Effects to be sold by the Sheriffs.]

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority, Advice, and Consent aforesaid, That whatever Estate, whether real or personal, any of the Prisoners aforesaid, shall surrender or give up to any of the Sheriffs, in whose Custody they are or shall be at the Time of their or any of their Discharge, shall, by the Sheriff or Sheriffs, in whose Custody such Prisoner or Prisoners shall be, in the Presence of one Magistrate of the particular County where such Prisoner shall be discharged, be exposed to public Sale and Sold to the highest Bidder; and that after the same be done, and the Sheriff or Sheriffs are paid, or secured to be paid, their Fees, the Residue shall be applied to the Creditors of such Prisoner or Prisoners that shall apply therefore, within thirty Days after the said Sale, in equal Proportion to their Demands.

[Bonds, &c. belonging to the Prisoners to be assigned to the Sheriff.]

And be it further Enacted, That all such Accounts, Bonds, Notes, or other Demands, any of the said Prisoners have against any Person or Persons whatsoever, be by the said Prisoner or Prisoners assigned to the Sheriff in whose Custody such Prisoner or Prisoners shall be, or are at the Time of their Discharge; and that such Sheriff or Sheriffs shall and may maintain an Action or Actions on such Demands, as Assignee of such Prisoner or Prisoners, in his own Name. Provided always, That such Creditor or Creditors demand of such Sheriff to sue, and give to such Sheriff a Bond to indemnify him against any Charge that may accrue to such Sheriff by Means of suing; and in Case of Recovery, that then the Sheriff make Distribution of what shall be recovered to the Person or Persons giving him such Security as aforesaid.

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14.th May 1756
 Read and Assented to
 by the Lower house of
 Assembly
 Signed p order
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On behalf of the Right
 Honourable the Lord
 Proprietary of this Province
 I will this be a Law
 Hor.^o Sharpe

14 May 1756
 Read and Assented to
 by the Upper house of
 Assembly
 Signed p order
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The Great Seal
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No. 12 A Supplementary Act to the Act, entituled, An Act for repairing the Public Roads in this Province.

[Preamble.] Whereas it is represented to this General Assembly, that several Persons in Evasion of an Act of Assembly, entituled, An Act for