

CHAPTER 131.

A SUPPLEMENT to the ACT to fix and make permanent the Salaries of certain Officers of the Civil Government.

Governor
\$4,200.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the following officers of the civil government, hereafter to be elected and appointed, shall be entitled to receive at the rate of the following annual salaries, in current money, whilst they continue in office, that is to say : the governor the sum of four thousand two hundred dollars ; the secretary of state the sum of two thousand dollars, to be in full for all services that the law does now or may hereafter require said officer to perform : and they are hereby required to residé at the seat of government ; the messenger to the governor, who shall be appointed by, and hold his office during the pleasure of the governor, and perform the duties now attached to the office of messenger of the executive council, the sum of four hundred dollars.

Residence
prescribed.
Messenger
\$400.

Messenger
of council
abolished.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the office of messenger of the executive council, be, and the same is hereby abolished.

CHAPTER 133.

AN ACT supplementary to an Act, entitled, an Act to establish Magistrates' Courts in the several Counties of this State, and to prescribe their Jurisdiction, passed December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, chapter two hundred and one.

Sheriff or
constable
may take
appearance
bond of
person
arrested.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That when any sheriff, deputy sheriff or constable, shall make an arrest on any capias issued by virtue of the act of assembly, passed December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, entitled, an act establishing magistrates' courts in the several counties of this state, he may take a bond from the person or persons so arrested, in a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, where the plea of debt does exceed the sum of fifty dollars, conditioned for his, her or their appearance before the district court, agreeably to the command of the capias, to answer the suit of the plaintiff ; and if the defendant, on refusing to give such bond, with sufficient security, the sheriff, deputy sheriff or constable, may lodge such defendant or defendants in the jail of the county in which said defendant or defendants may reside, to be safely kept by the sheriff of said county, until the return day of said capias.

Imprison if
not given.

Case of
several
obligors on
note, bond,
&c.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That when there are more than one obligor to any note, bond, bill, or other instrument of writing, for the payment of any sum of money, not exceeding one hundred dollars, suit may be brought against all the obligors, or any of them, in the same election district where the first named obligor resides ; *Provided,* they all reside in the same county.