town of Westminster which they may select and be able to procure for that purpose, and they are hereby authorized to contract and agree at the county charge, for a convenient place in the said town to hold their courts, and for a convenient place in the said town for the keeping their books, papers and records.

SEC. 4. And be it enacted, That each of the justices afore- Compensaid shall receive an allowance of two dollars per diem for each sation. and every day he shall be present during the session of said court, and in addition thereto shall be entitled to receive at the rate of twelve and a half cents per mile, as often as each of them shall attend the court, as itinerant compensation, for every mile each of them may travel, coming from his place of residence in the county to the town of Westminster, to attend the business of said court.

SEC. 5. And be it enacted, That the register of wills of Ascertain-Carroll county, at each meeting of the orphans court, shall ing and make a memorandum in the minutes of said court of the number of miles travelled by any justice of the orphans court as aforesaid, at every court each of them shall attend from the country, and the commissioners of the tax for Carroll county shall at their annual levy of the county charges of Carroll county, levy said itinerant compensation for the use of any justice as aforesaid at the time of levying his per diem allowance, which shall be collected and paid to said justices in the same manner and at the same time that his per diem allowance shall be collected and paid.

## PEOPLE OF COLOUR.

A further Supplement to an Act, entitled, an Act relating to the People of Colour in this State, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, chapter two hundred and eighty-one, so far as the same relates to Frederick County .- 1838, ch. 269.

WHEREAS, by the erection of Carroll county out of parts of Preamble. Baltimore and Frederick counties, the assessable property of Frederick county has been reduced; And whereas, by an act. passed at December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, chapter two hundred and eighty-one, the levy court of Frederick county were required to levy upon the assessable property of said county, nine hundred and forty-four dollars and sixty-six cents, to carry into effect the provisions of the act, entitled, an act relating to the people of colour in this state, and it being just and right that the tax levied upon Frederick county, for the purpose aforesaid, should be reduced in proportion to the reduction of the assessable property of the county by the erection of Carroll county aforesaid; And whereas, the levy court of Frederick county refused to levy for the year eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, a larger sum than seven