

CHAPTER 329.

AN ACT to repeal section two of article thirty, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Defaulters," added to said article by an Act, entitled "an Act to add an additional section to article thirty, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Repealed. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That section two of article thirty, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Defaulters," be and the same is hereby repealed, and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Wilfully detain collect'ns SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That if any Clerk, Register of Wills, Sheriff, Collector of Taxes, Notary Public, or other officers, whose duty it is to collect revenue due the State of Maryland or any county thereof, shall, after the receipt of the said revenue by him, wilfully detain the same in his possession and neglect to pay the same into the Treasury of the State or to the County Commissioners, or the proper officer authorized to receive the same, for more than sixty days after the day upon which it is made by law the duty to pay the same, or if no particular day be appointed by law for said payment, and such officer shall detain any revenue due to the State or to any county thereof, and which it is his duty to collect, and which he shall have collected and shall neglect to pay the same into the Treasury of the State, or to the County Commissioners, or the proper officer authorized to receive the same, for the space of six months after he shall have so collected the same, such officer so offending in either case, shall be deemed to be a defaulter, and upon indictment and conviction thereof shall in addition to any other penalties already provided by law, be for each offence imprisoned in the State Penitentiary not less than

Deemed a defaulter.