

CHAPTER 43.

CHAP. 44.

*An act for the relief of John D. Ward, former sheriff of Calvert county.* Passed Feb. 7, 1834

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That John D. Ward, former sheriff of Calvert county, be and he is hereby authorised to collect until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, all fines, forfeitures, amerciaments, officers' fees or public dues which were placed in his hands for collection, and all legal fees made by him while sheriff, or that he was entitled to by virtue of said office of sheriff, and which have not been collected, in the same manner as he could or might have done within the time limited by law. Authority to collect

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said John D. Ward, before he proceeds to execute the body or property of any person or persons for fee, forfeitures, amerciaments, officers fees or public dues, by the authority of this act, shall deliver or cause to be delivered to such person or persons, chargeable with the same, or left at their houses, at least thirty days previous to serving or levying such execution, an account of the sum demanded of him, her or them, with an affidavit annexed thereto, that he hath not, nor hath any person or persons acting under him whilst sheriff, nor since received any part thereof, or satisfaction for the same, to the best of his knowledge and belief. Accounts to be delivered Affidavit

CHAPTER 44.

*An act to make valid the official acts of Wilson Hays, justice of the peace for Frederick county.* as Passed Feb. 11, 1834

WHEREAS, it hath been represented to this general assembly, That Wilson Hays, esquire, one of the former justices of the peace, of Frederick county, did some time in the year eighteen hundred and twenty eight, and from thence until recently, act as deputy of the Postmaster, at Woolfsville, Frederick county, and during the period aforesaid, was in the discharge of his duties as Magistrate, of said county, and doubts have been entertained as to the validity of his official acts and proceedings, since he was Preamble