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of this act, shall be liable to a fine of fifty dollars for each and every offence; provided, that the terms of this act shall not apply to children engaged in agricultural, household, or mercantile pursuits.

In force

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved, February 18, 1874.

CHAPTER 4.

AN ACT to extend the Charter of Incorporation of the Baltimore and Philadelphia Steamboat Company, which Incorporation is by virtue of the act of December session eighteen hundred and forty-three, chapter one hundred and fifty eight, and of the supplementary act passed February seventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, chapter eighty-three.

Extending acts

SECTION 1. Be it cructed by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the said acts are hereby extended so that those acts, and this act shall continue in force until the Legislature shall think proper to repeal the same.

In force

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this act shall take effect from the day of its passage.

Approved, February 4, 1874.