

CHAPTER 273.

CHAP. 274.

*An act to divorce Sarah A. Hall, of Frederick county, from her husband John H. Hall.* Passed Mar. 29, 1836

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* Divorce  
That from and after the passage of this act, Sarah A. Hall, of Frederick county, be, and she is hereby divorced *a mensa et thoro*, from her husband John H. Hall.

CHAPTER 274.

*An act for the relief of Josias Hawkins and Margaret Clerk Lee, of Charles County.* Passed Mar. 30, 1836

WHEREAS, Josias Hawkins and Margaret Clerk Lee, of Charles county, in this State, having recently become entitled by bequest, or in course of distribution, to certain negro slaves in the State of Virginia, and having inadvertently made an exchange, one with the other of their respective lots or shares of said slaves, while they were still in the State of Virginia, and fearing that the nature of their titles to the slaves now respectively owned by them, may be so varied by the exchange aforesaid, as to deprive them of the privilege of bringing said slaves into this State, under the strict letter of the law of eighteen hundred and thirty-four, have asked to be authorised to introduce said slaves into this State, in the same manner as they could have done, had they not made the exchange aforesaid:—  
Therefore,

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* May bring slaves into State  
That Josias Hawkins and Margaret Clerk Lee, and each or either of them be, and they are hereby fully authorised and empowered to introduce and hold as slaves within this State, any negro slaves which they may have exchanged one with the other, and which they or either of them could lawfully have introduced and held as slaves within this State, previously to any exchange between them having been made; *Provided,* Provide  
they or either of them, who may under the provisions of this act, introduce into this State, any of said ex-