

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall not continue in force more than one year from the date of its passage.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from its passage.

JOSHUA W. PHILLIPS.

AN ACT to allow Joshua W. Phillips, late Sheriff and Collector, of Somerset county, further time to complete his collections, and to give him power to do so.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Joshua W. Phillips, late Sheriff and Collector, of Somerset county, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered for twelve months from the passage of this act, to complete his collections as Sheriff and Collector of the county and State taxes, in Somerset county, with the same and as full authority to compel and enforce payment of taxes and fees due him as Sheriff and Collector, as he had when first appointed and qualified, *provided*, that nothing in this act shall be construed to extend the time of payment of any money due from said Phillips, as Collector of the State and county taxes aforesaid; *provided*, the said Sheriff shall make affidavit, to be filed with the execution in each case, that the fine or forfeiture in said execution specified, has not been paid to said Sheriff.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from its passage.

MARANDA PORTER AND HARRIET PORTER.

AN ACT for the relief of Maranda Porter and Harriet Porter, of Carroll county.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Maranda Porter and Harriet Porter, of Carroll county, who were convicted of an assault and battery upon the body of a certain Mary Ann Cain, at the September term, eighteen hundred and sixty, of the Circuit Court for said county, be and they are hereby, each and both of them, exempted and released from all costs and charges arising or accruing from their conviction in the aforesaid case of assault and battery.

SEC. 2. *Be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.