

## CHAPTER 437.

AN ACT to repeal section one hundred and eighteen of article eighteen of the Code of Public Local Laws, entitled "St. Mary's County," sub-title "Sheriff," as enacted by the act of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, chapter three hundred and nine, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That section one hundred and eighteen of article eighteen of the Code of Public Local Laws, entitled "St. Mary's County," sub-title "Sheriffs," as enacted by the act of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, chapter three hundred and nine, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, so as to read as follows:

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SEC. 118. *Be it enacted,* That the sheriff of St. Mary's county shall receive for keeping each prisoner committed to his custody, and for providing victuals and fire for the same, the sum of fifty cents per day, and that said sheriff shall be allowed for removing convicts to the penitentiary the following compensation, to wit: For a single prisoner, thirty dollars, and for each additional prisoner convicted at the same term of court, fifteen dollars; and the said sheriff is hereby required, under penalty of one hundred dollars, to keep a book at his office or at the county jail, in which he shall keep a record of the names, ages and the date when received, the offence charged, the date of discharge and the reasons therefor of all persons committed to his custody, which book shall be open to inspection by all persons interested.

Compensa-  
tion for keep-  
ing prisoners,  
&c.

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