

it shall be sufficient if the prosecution be started within two years from the last payment by the accused for the maintenance and support of the said bastard child. The issuance of a warrant by a Justice of the Peace or the filing of a sworn statement with the State's Attorney, charging a man with being the father of an illegitimate child, shall be considered as the commencing or starting of prosecution within the meaning of this Article.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1947.

Approved February 26, 1947.

CHAPTER 65.

(House Bill 127)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 1039 of the Montgomery County Code (1939 Edition), being Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Montgomery County", sub-title "Silver Spring", relating to the levying of a tax on the assessable property in Precincts 1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 of the 13th Election District of Montgomery County for maintenance and support of the Public Library at Silver Spring.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 1039 of the Montgomery County Code (1939 Edition), being Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Montgomery County", sub-title "Silver Spring", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

1039. The County Commissioners of Montgomery County shall levy a tax of Four Cents (4¢) on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) of valuation of all assessable property in Precincts 1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 of the Thirteenth Election District, known as the Wheaton Election District in said County, (1) for operation and maintenance of the Silver Spring Public Library, (2) for the establishment and operation and maintenance of such branches thereof as may be necessary, and (3) for the purchase, rental, remodeling or construction of new facilities for said library when necessary, and which tax shall be collected by the County Treasurer as other taxes are collected. The proceeds