

CHAP. 8. cases the officer shall not sell unless the property offered shall bring more than one hundred dollars.

Exempt. **SEC. 4.** *And be it enacted,* That all wearing apparel, books, and the tools of mechanics shall be exempt from execution, in addition to the property hereinbefore exempted, but this shall not apply to any books or tools kept for sale.

Not to impair lien. **SEC. 5.** *And be it enacted,* That the preceding sections relating to exemptions shall not impair the lien of any vendor for the purchase money of land, nor of any mortgage, nor of any mechanic or other person, for any debt contracted for or in aid of the erection of any building; nor from any levy thereon for taxes.

Not to apply. **SEC. 6.** *And be it enacted,* That the exemption herein shall not apply to any execution on a judgment rendered on any contract, or to any liabilities which now exist or may exist when this act shall take effect.

CHAPTER 8.

Passed May 8, 1861. **AN ACT** to relieve the Mayor and members of the Board of Police of the city of Baltimore, and all persons who acted under their orders, in their efforts to maintain peace and good order, and prevent further strife on and after the occurrences of the nineteenth of April, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, in said city, from prosecution for, or in consequence of their acts of obedience to said orders.

Relieved. **SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Mayor and members of the Board of Police of the city of Baltimore and all persons who acted under their orders, in their efforts to maintain peace and good order, and prevent further strife on and after the occurrences on the nine-