

CHAPTER 40.

AN ACT for the relief of Maranda Porter and Harriet Porter, of Carroll county. Passed Jan. 28, 1862.

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. Released from costs.

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

CHAPTER 41.

AN ACT for the benefit of the Consistory of the German Reformed Church of Jefferson, Frederick County, Maryland. Passed Jan. 27, 1862.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the deed executed on the thirty-first day of July, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, by Peter Hoffman and Catherine Hoffman to Sebastian Ramsburg, John Feaster, Senior, Henry Crum, John Stockman, Senior, Henry Stockman, Jacob Feaster, Junior, John Hemp, and John Stockman, of John, Consistory of the German Reformed Church of Jefferson, Frederick county, Maryland, and their successors, be and is hereby declared valid and effectual to the same extent as if said Consistory had been a body corporate at the time of its execution; and shall vest a good and valid title to the real estate specified in said deed in William F. Colliflower, John Feaster, William H. Hershperger, Henry Cochran, Joseph Rhoderick, Deed made valid, &c.