

the provisions of this act, he or they shall forfeit and pay CHAP. 266: to the Treasurer of the Western Shore of this State, a sum not less than twenty, nor more than three hundred dollars, according to the nature of the offence, and at the discretion of the Court of Anne Arundel county; which may be recovered in any proper action before said Court.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of Prosecute the Attorney General of this State, or his deputy, on the complaint of any of the officers aforesaid, to prosecute for all violations of this act.

CHAPTER 266.

*A supplement to an act, entitled, an act to prevent the unlawful Exportation of Negroes and Mulattoes and to alter and amend the Laws concerning Runaways, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and seventeen, chapter one hundred and twelve.* Passed Mar 15, 1834

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the provisions of the second section of the act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at December session, in the year eighteen hundred and seventeen, chapter one hundred and twelve, be, and they are hereby extended to all cases where any person, being a resident of this State, shall purchase or receive, on any contract, any servant or slave, who is, or may be entitled to freedom after a term of years, or after any particular time, or upon any contingency, knowing that such servant or slave is so entitled to freedom, with an intention to transport such servant or slave out of the State; and to all cases where any person, being a resident of this State, shall remove such servant or slave out of this State, and shall sell the same, knowing the said servant or slave to be so entitled to freedom; and all the provisions of said act are hereby declared to apply to the case of such person residing in this State, to every effect, as if such case were originally embraced in the terms of said second section. Sec 2 of act of 1817 chapter 112, extended

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That nothing contained in this act, shall be construed to repeal any part of the act, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, chapter two hundred and twenty-four. Construe