CHAP. 336. ell, thirty dollars; to Virlinda Steele, thirty dollars; to John Hackney, thirty dollars; to Eleanor Parsley, thirty dollars; to Fielder Mulliken, thirty dollars; to Ann Lovejoy, thirty dollars; and to Asbury Holland, thirty dollars; in Talbet county, to Mary Leonard, twenty five dollars; to Anna

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Bullen, twenty five dollars; and to Nancy McNeal, twe ty dollars; in Worcester county, to John Lathberry, thirty dollars; and to Patty Daviss, twenty dollars, and the levy court are hereby required to levy the same; in Cecil county; to William Benjamin, thirty dollars, pavable to George Ben-

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## CHAPTER 336.

Passed Man 21,3038 An act for the benefit of the securities for the appearance of Insolvent Petitioners within this State.

Same powers as special bail.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General A sembly of Muryland, That from and after the passage of this act, any surety for the appearance of an insolvent petitioner under the laws of this State, be and they are hereby authorised and empowered, and are hereby invested with the same powers, to bring the said insolvent petitioner into court, or before any judge thereof, which special bail now have to bring their principal into court, and when the said petitioner shall be so brought into court, or before any judge thereof, May surrender in- he may be surrendered by his surety and committed into the custody of the sheriff, in the same manner as special bail

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now surrender their principal, and have him committed to the custody of the sheriff, Provided however, that the said petitioner be so surrendered before or at the first term to which suit shall be brought upon the bond for the appearance of such petitioners.

Sheriff shall retain in custody, &c.

Sec 2. And be it enacted. That every sheriff, into whose custody an insolvent petitioner shall be committed as aforesaid, shall keep said petitioner in custocy, and bring the said petitioner into court on the day named in such petitioner's bond for his appearance, and on each day thereafter, until the court, in which the petition of such insolvent petitioner is pending, shall have passed judgment thereupon; and if the said court shall dismiss or quash the said petition, or shall grant a final discharge to the said petitioner, then

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