

as to apply to the estates of persons dying before the effective date of this Act, but nothing herein shall be taken to relieve any person from liability for taxes under the pre-existing law.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That if any one or more sections, clauses, sentences, or parts of this Act shall for any reason be questioned in any court, and shall be adjudged unconstitutional or invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remaining provisions thereof but shall be confined in its operation to the specific provisions so held unconstitutional or invalid, and the inapplicability or invalidity of any section, clause or provision of this Act in any one or more instances shall not be taken to affect or prejudice in any way its applicability or validity in any other instance.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and if passed upon a ye and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 4, 1936.

CHAPTER 125.

AN ACT to prescribe the regulations under which motion pictures may be held, shown, played and/or exhibited in Howard County, on Sunday, commonly known as the Sabbath Day, with or without charge or admission fee, and to prescribe penalties for violation thereof, and to repeal Sections 483 and 485 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Sabbath Breaking," in so far as said sections prohibit the exhibition of motion pictures in Howard County on Sunday and providing for a referendum vote thereon.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That it shall be lawful to hold, show, play and/or exhibit motion pictures after 2 o'clock P. M. on Sunday in