Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Escaping from Penitentiary", for the purpose of clarifying the provisions of said section.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 149 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Escaping from Penitentiary", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

149. If any offender or person legally detained and confined in the Penitentiary, or Jail, or House of Correction, or Reformatory, or Station House, or any other place of confinement, in this State, shall escape, he shall, on conviction thereof by the Criminal Court of Baltimore City or by the Circuit Court of the County in which the escape takes place, be sentenced to confinement in the Penitentiary, Jail or House of Correction for such additional period, not exceeding ten years, as the Court may adjudge.

If any keeper, deputy, assistant keeper or other person shall aid or assist in the escape of any offender or person detained and confined, as aforesaid, he shall, on conviction thereof by the Criminal Court of Baltimore City or by the Circuit Court of the County in which the escape takes place, be sentenced to such confinement in the Penitentiary, or Jail, or the House of Correction, as the Court may adjudge, for not more than ten years.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1943.

Approved February 12, 1943.

## CHAPTER 26.

## (Senate Bill 60)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 243A of Article 93 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Testamentary Law", sub-title "Orphans' Court", as said section was enacted by Chapter 806 of the Acts of 1941, relating to the refund of motor vehicle license fees of decedents, in certain cases, without administration in the Orphans' Court.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 243A of Article 93 of the Annotated Code