

**CHAP. 98.** received any part thereof, nor any security or satisfaction for the same, more than the credits given to the best of his knowledge.

In force until  
1846.

**SEC. 2.** *And be it enacted,* That this act shall be in force from its passage, until the first day of May, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

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CHAPTER 97.

Passed Feb. 12, 1844. *An act for the relief of William C. Norris of the city of Baltimore.*

May hold as a  
slave.

Provisoos.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That it shall be lawful for William C. Norris of the city of Baltimore, to hold and retain in this State, as a slave for life, a negro girl named Eveline, who is now within this State. *Provided,* that the said William C. Norris, shall within thirty days after the passage of this act, make affidavit before some justice of the peace of the city of Baltimore, of his intention to become a resident of this State, and file the said affidavit in the office of the clerk of Baltimore county, and *provided also,* that the said William C. Norris shall within the time aforesaid, file with the said clerk, a list of the said slave with an affidavit thereto attached, that the same is a true and faithful list of said slave, stating the age thereof, and that he the said William C. Norris, has not brought or removed said slave into this State for sale, and that the said Eveline is a slave for life, and *provided,* that the said William C. Norris pay the sum of fifteen dollars to the clerk of said county, at the time of giving said list, to be paid over to the Treasurer of the Western Shore, for the use and benefit of the Maryland State Colonization Society.

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CHAPTER 98.

Passed Feb.  
12, 1844.

*An act to enable William Dellinger, collector of the direct tax for Washington county, for the year eighteen hundred and forty-one and for eighteen hundred and forty-two in part, to complete his collections.*

Preamble.

**WHEREAS** William Dellinger of Washington county, who it is represented, was appointed collector of the direct tax for said county, for the year eighteen hundred and forty-