

CHAPTER 131.

CHAP. 132.

An act authorizing Doctor John A. E. Horsey, of Somerset County, to introduce into this State certain Slaves for life. Passed Jan. 16, 1840.

WHEREAS, Dr. John A. E. Horsey has removed into, and become a bona fide citizen of this State—Therefore,
Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, Authority granted
 That from and after the passage of this act it shall and may be lawful for the said John A. E. Horsey, to bring into this State certain slaves for life; *provided,* that within sixty days after such removal, the said John A. E. Horsey shall cause to be recorded in the office of the clerk of Somerset county court, the names of all his slaves so removed; *and provided also,* that the said John A. E. Horsey shall pay to the clerk of said county, for the use of the Maryland colonization society, the sums required to be paid by the act of Assembly of December session eighteen hundred and thirty-three, chapter eighty-seven. Provisoes

CHAPTER 132.

An act to authorize John B. Taylor, of Somerset County, to introduce into the State of Maryland, from the State of Delaware, three Negroes, slaves for life, mentioned in the act. Passed Jan. 16, 1840

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, Authority granted
 That from and after the passage of this act, it shall be lawful for John B. Taylor, of Somerset county, to introduce into this State from the State of Delaware, three negroes, slaves for life to the said Taylor, to wit: negro James, aged about forty-five years; negro Jacob, aged about twenty-six years; and negro Leah, aged about twenty-three years; *provided,* that within thirty days after such introduction the said John B. Taylor shall file with the clerk of Somerset county court, a list of said slaves stating their ages, with an affidavit attached thereto, that the same is a true and faithful list of said slaves, and that he hath not introduced them into the State for the purpose of sale, and that they are slaves for life; and that at the time of giving such list, he pay to the said clerk the sum of five dollars for the said negro James; and the sum of fifteen dollars, for each of said negroes Jacob and Leah; to be paid over by the Proviso