

CHAPTER 239.

CHAP. 240.

*An act to authorise Thomas M. D. Baden, former Collector of Prince George's County, further time to complete his Collections.* Passed March 7, 1845.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Thomas M. D. Baden, former collector of Prince George's county, be and he is hereby authorised and empowered to collect any tax or balances of taxes, now remaining due and uncollected by him, in the same manner as he could, or might have done within the time limited by law. Authorised to collect.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this law shall not be in force longer than one year from the passage thereof. In force one year.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That that the said Thomas M. D. Baden, before he proceeds to execute the property of any person by the authority of this act, shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the person or persons chargeable with the same, and at least ten days before he shall proceed to execute as aforesaid, a particular account of the sum demanded of him, her or them, with an affidavit thereto annexed, that he hath not, nor hath any person acting under him, whilst collector as aforesaid, or since then, received any part thereof or satisfaction for the same, to the best of his knowledge and belief; *provided,* that nothing in this act contained, shall be so construed to affect the estate of a deceased person, except to authorise the said Thomas M. D. Baden to recover any claim or balance due by a deceased person, in the same manner that claims against deceased persons are now recovered by law. Before execution, deliver an account ten days previous with an affidavit annexed.

Proviso.

CHAPTER 240.

*An act to limit the number of Judges in Baltimore City Court to Two.* Passed March 6, 1845.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That after the happening of a vacancy on the bench of Baltimore city court, that court shall be constituted of two judges, one of whom shall be chief judge, and the other associate judge thereof. After vacancy there shall be but 2 judges.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That either or both of the aforesaid judges shall be competent to hold the said court, and to exercise all the powers, and to perform all the duties appertaining thereto. One or both judges to hold court.