

hereby authorised and empowered to collect until the first day of February, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, the sums and balances due him as Sheriff of Somerset county, in the same manner which the said John Curtis could or might have done within the time limited by law, anything to the contrary notwithstanding.

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SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the time allowed by law to John Curtis, collector of Somerset county, to make his collections, be and the same is extended until the first day of February, eighteen hundred and fifty-two.

CHAPTER 229.

An act relating to Devises.

Passed Feb. 22
1850.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That every last will and testament, executed in due form of law, after the first day of June next, shall be construed with reference to the real estate and personal estate comprised in it, to speak and take effect as if it had been executed on the day of the death of the testator or testatrix, unless a contrary intention shall appear by the will.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to any will executed before the passage of this act, by any person who may die before the first day of June next, unless in such will the intention of the testator or testatrix shall appear that the real and personal estate which he or she may own at his or her death, should thereby pass.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this law shall take effect on the first day of June next.

CHAPTER 230.

An act to establish the Western Cemetery.

Passed Feb 26,
1850.

WHEREAS, the trustees of the Fayette Street Methodist Episcopal Church, in the city of Baltimore, incor-

Preamble.