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that nothing in this act shall be so construed as to deprive such clerks and registers from collecting said fees, by warrant, suit or otherwise.

Fees placed in hands of sheriff to be collected before 1st of May, 1853.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That all fees due such clerks and registers, shall be placed in the hands of the sheriffs of the several counties of this State, and of the city of Baltimore, wherein the debtor or debtors may reside, on or before the first day of September, eighteen hundred and fifty-two; and that such sheriffs shall collect the same on or before the first day of May, eighteen hundred and fifty-three, and shall account with such clerks and registers for said fees; and on failure to collect and account with such clerks and registers on such day, the official bonds of such sheriffs shall be liable to be put in suit, at the instance and for the use of every person or persons aggrieved thereby.

Act, how construed.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted* That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to make any sheriff answerable for the failure to collect any fees, unless the same, by the use of due diligence, could have been collected.

In force.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage.

CHAPTER 105.

Passed March 16, 1852.

AN ACT for the relief of Thomas P. Chiffelle and Alexander J. Bouldin of the City of Baltimore.

Compensation allowed.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Treasurer be, and he is hereby authorised and directed, to pay on the warrant of the Comptroller, to Thomas P. Chiffelle and Alexander J. Bouldin, each the sum of seventy-five dollars, as compensation for surveying, inspecting and reporting to the House of Delegates, of December session eighteen hundred and forty-nine, the state and condition of the Baltimore and Susquehanna rail road, in pursuance of an order passed the twenty-eight of February, eighteen hundred and fifty.

In force.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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