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this act, to deliver to such person or persons chargeable with the same, at least thirty days previous to levying such execution or distress, an account written in words at full length, of the public dues demanded of him, her or them, with an affidavit annexed if required, that he hath not received any part thereof, nor any thing as security or satisfaction for the same, more than credit given to the best of his knowledge.

Collection books.

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said Robert Welch, (of Ben.) before he derives any benefit from or under this act, shall lodge a copy of his collection books in the clerks office of Anne-Arundel county, to be opened for the inspection of all persons interested in the same.



CHAPTER 184.

Passed Jan. 1, 1813.

*An act for the removal of certain proceeding against General Henry Lee of the city of Alexandria, from the county court of Baltimore county, to the county court of Montgomery county, and for other purposes.*

Preamble.

WHEREAS, It hath been represented to this General Assembly of Maryland, by the said Henry Lee, and by Luthur Martin Esqr. of Baltimore county, that he the said Luthur Martin, heretofore became special bail for the said Henry Lee, who had been arrested in Baltimore county at the suit of Robert Gamble Esqr. of the State of Virginia, in two actions brought against the said Henry Lee, for the use of Henry Thompson of Baltimore county, upon which, judgments have been rendered against the said Henry Lee, for a considerable sum of money; and that the said Gamble having departed this life, the said Henry Thompson duly obtained letters of administration on his personal estate, and hath since renewed the said judgments by scire facias against the said Henry Lee, in consequence of which the said Henry Lee is liable to have his person taken in execution and committed to the jail of the said county, or in default thereof, the said Luthur Martin as his special bail, to be made answerable for the said judgments.

AND WHEREAS, The said Henry Lee and Luthur Martin have, by their petition, prayed this General Assembly of Maryland to pass an act authorising all further proceedings on the said judg-