

CHAPTER 56.

AN ADDITIONAL SUPPLEMENT to an act Passed February 17, 1858.
entitled an act to provide for the speedy collection of State and County taxes, in Baltimore county, and for other purposes, passed at January session, eighteen hundred and fifty four, chapter one hundred and thirty-nine.

WHEREAS, it appears that a large amount of State Preamble.
and County taxes is placed in each and every year, in the hands of the Sheriff of Baltimore county, for collection, without any security for the payment and collection of the same, other than his official bond; Therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Sheriff of Baltimore county, before entering upon the discharge of the duties imposed upon him by the act and its supplement, to which this is an additional supplement, shall execute and deliver to the County Commissioners of Baltimore county, a good and sufficient bond, with security to be approved by the said County Commissioners, in the penal sum to be named by said County Commissioners, not exceeding the whole amount of State and County taxes so placed in his hands for collection, conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties imposed upon said Sheriff, by the act passed at January Session, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, chapter one hundred and thirty-nine, and its supplements; and said bond shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Baltimore county, and be by said clerk recorded; and in case the said sheriff shall neglect or fail to enforce the payment of said arrears of taxes, or to account and pay the same over to the Treasurer of the State of Maryland and to the Treasurer of Baltimore county respectively, on or before the first day of December in each and every year, said bond shall be liable for the same; and upon suit instituted upon said bond in the Circuit court for Baltimore county, said Court is hereby authorised and required at its first term thereafter, upon motion, and after not less than ten days Sheriff to give bond.