dollars (\$15,000) the said orphans' court shall not proceed to order said sales; provided, however, that such limitation shall not apply to the orphans' court for Montgomery County.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1967.

Approved April 14, 1967.

## CHAPTER 303

## (House Bill 840)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 190(a) and 190(c) of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Public Education," subtitle "Chapter 16. Public Libraries," permitting professional and clerical employees of the public libraries of Montgomery County to transfer to the County retirement system and subsequently other qualified retirement systems, and providing for continuance of contributions by the State of Maryland and transfer of contributions by Montgomery County.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sections 190(a) and (c) of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Public Education," subtitle "Chapter 16. Public Libraries," be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

190.

- The professional and clerical employees of any library estab-(a) lished or operating under the provisions of this subtitle shall be included in the definition of "teacher" and "member," as said terms are defined respectively in subsections (3) and (4) of Section 108 of this article, and all such professional and clerical employees shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges and subject to all of the obligations of the Teachers' Retirement System as established and maintained under Sections 108 to 129, inclusive of this article; provided however, that each professional and clerical employee of the department of public libraries of Montgomery County may elect to transfer to the Employees' Retirement System of Montgomery County; and any such employee may elect to subsequently transfer to the Employees' Retirement System of the State of Maryland, other State retirement system, or the retirement system of a municipality or legislative body of the State of Maryland which is being operated on an actuarial basis with contributions being made during the active service of new members which are computed to be sufficient to provide the reserves needed to cover the retirement benefits payable on their account.
- (c) Notwithstanding any other provision of this article or other statute, the State of Maryland shall make contributions to the Retirement and Pension System, and contributions for the employer's share for social security, for the benefit of the professional and