

The Authority of the same that unless all or any of the Creditors of
the said Ezekiel Parr or their Attorneys shall within three months
after the end of this Session of Assembly go to the Sheriff of Cecil
County and give good Security to pay the Imprisonment Fees at
ten pounds of tobacco per day that shall or may become due from
the said Ezekiel Parr after the end of three months and also to find
the said Ezekiel Parr sufficient meat Drink and Cloathing
during his future Imprisonment it shall and may be lawful
for the said Sheriff forthwith to suffer the said Ezekiel Parr to go at
Large and release him from his prison and the said Sheriff by
Vertue of this Act shall upon the Generall Issue to be pleaded and
Speciall matter ^{and the act} to be given in Evidence justify or acquit himselfe
of or in any Action or Actions that shall or may be brought against
him by means or occasion of his suffering the said Ezekiel to go at
Large according to the directions of this act and in Case any person
that shall sue the said Sheriff for any thing by him done or to be done
according to the directions of this Act shall have Verdict go against
him and Judgment thereon or any wise faile in prosecution of his Suite
the said Sheriff shall recover against such Plaintiffe such Costes of
Suite ~~as in law~~ And Be it further Enacted that it shall
not be lawfull for any person or persons whatsoever to Imprison or
Execute the body of the said Ezekiel Parr for any Debt damaged
or demand whatsoever that hath arisen due from the said Ezekiel
at any time before the making this present act untill the
expiration of five years from the end of this present Session or
of Answering Damages for the same in any action or Actions for
Imprisonment. Provided nevertheless that nothing ^{in this Act} shall extend or
be Construed to extend to the Releasing or Extinguishing any Debt
Damages or Demand for which the said Ezekiel is now in Prison
or hath arisen due as aforesaid nor to the hindrance of any Creditor of the
said Ezekiel from proceeding against or Executing his goods or Chattels
Lands or Tenements nor from bringing any action or Actions against
him in Order thereto within the Terme aforesaid so that his body
be not thereby Imprisoned but that in Case of any arrest for any
the matters aforesaid he shall be Immediately discharged from such
arrest on Entering a Caution or appearance any Law Statute or Usage to the
Contrary notwithstanding saving the Right of our Sovereign Lord the