manner as he could or might have done within the time limited by law, any law to the contrary notwithstand-

ing.

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That it shall be the duty of the said Robert Welch, (of Ben.) before he proceeds to execute of distrain the property of any person or persons for taxes or public dues in virtue of this act, to de days previous to executing. liver 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 taxes 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.

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

CHAPTER 148.

An act for the relief of Susan O'Hara and Fielder Moore, of Anne-Arundel county. Section 1. BE IT ENACTED by the General Assem-

Passed Jan. 31, 1814.

bly of Maryland, That the levy court of Anne-Arundel be levied for county be, and they are hereby authorised and directed, the support of to levy on the assessable property of said county, the sum each of them. of thirty dollars, for the support and maintenance of Susan O'Hara, and the further sum of thirty dollars for the support and maintenance of Fielder Moore, and that the said sums be levied, collected and paid, under the direction of the levy court, annually, to the said Susan O'Hara and to Fielder Moore respectively, so long as said court shall see fit.

30 dollars to

------CHAPTER 149.

An act to continue in force the acts of assembly which 31, 1814.

would expire with the present session. Section 1. BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all such acts and parts of Exception. acts of assembly as would expire with the present session of assembly, be and the same are hereby conntinued until twentieth day of November next, and to the end of the next session of assembly which shall happen thereafter, except the act entitled, a further supplement to the act entitled, an act for regulating the mode of staying executions and repealing the acts of assembly therein mentioned and for other purposes, passed at May session, eighteen hundred and thirteen.

Laws to con-