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issue his warrant, upon the information of said constable, or any other person, on oath or affirmation, to apprehend such owner, to be taken before some justice of the peace for the county, and compelled to enter into recognizance for his appearance at the next county court, there to be proceeded against by indictment, and upon conviction or confession thereof, to be fined by the court a sum not exceeding sixty dollars for every such offence, one half to the constable aforesaid, or such other person as shall prosecute for the same, and the other half to be applied to the use of the county.

I heir allowance

2. And be it enucted, That the constables so as aforesaid to be appointed shall, for the discharge of the duties imposed on them by this act, to be verified upon oath, be allowed each a sum of money not exceeding sixteen dollars, in the discretion of the respective levy courts, to be levied, collected and paid over, as other county charges are levied, collected and paid.

CHAP. CLXXVI.

Passed Feb 14 1820 Preamble

An Act for the Payment of the Journal of Accounts.

WHEREAS it appears by the journal of accounts of this session, that there is due from this state the sum of thirty-five thousand five hundred and forty-one dollars and eighty-six and three quarter cents:

Treasurer authorised to pay

1. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorised and required, to pay the several persons, their executors, administrators, assigns or orders, or to such of them as shall offer to receive the same, the several sums of current money allowed to them respectively, as they appear to be settled and ascertained by the said journal of accounts, out of any money now in the treasury, or that shall come into the treasury, subject to the appropriation of the general assembly.

CHAP. CLXXVII.

Passed Feb 14 1820 An Act for the Revaluation of Real and Personal Property in Montgomery County. Property to be re- 1. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the present commissioners of the tax of Montgomery county, be and they are hereby authorised and required, to meet at Rockville in said county as soon as may be practicable after the passage of this act, and there proceed to revalue and reassess the real and personal property in the said county, agreeably to the provisions of an act, passed at November session eighteen hundred and twelve, entitled, An act for the valuation of real and personal property in the several counties of this state.

Present commissioners authorised to carry this act

2. And be it enacted, That the said commissioners of the tax for Montgomery county, are hereby authorised and empowered to carry into full effect and operation all the provisions of this act, as well as the aforesaid act of eighteen hundred and twelve, entitled, An act for the valuation of real and personal property in the seve-

Executors, &c failing to inform of any transfer of property, &c to be liable for tax

ral counties of this state. 3. And be it enacted, That if any executor or administrator shall hereafter fail to inform the commissioners of the tax of the transfer of any property belonging to any deceased person, of whom he or she may be executor or administrator, the said executor or administrator shall be liable for the tax on the same, until the commissioners of the tax shall be properly notified of such transfer.