Treasury conceived it his duty to refuse to pay the same; therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Treasurer of the State be and he is hereby authorised, on the warrant of the Comptroller, to pay to Henry Hagan or order, the sum of one hundred dollars, for the services mentioned in the preamble to this act.

Treasurer authorised to pay.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from and after its passage.

In force.

CHAPTER 5.

AN ACT entitled an act for the relief of Edward Bowers, of Carroll county.

Passed January 23, 1858.

WHEREAS, Edward Bowers was convicted by the Circuit Court for Carroll county, at its September Term, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, of having begotten an illegitimate child on the body of Matilda Shean, and is now confined in the jail of said county in default of security for the maintenance of said child, and whereas the said Edward Bowers is utterly and hopelessly insolvent and unable to give such security; Therefore;

Preamble.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That it shall and may be lawful for the judge of the Circuit Court for Carroll county, to order the release and discharge of the said Edward Bowers from the jail of said county and from his confinement therein by reason of his default to give security for the maintenance of said illegitimate child.

Judge authorised to release.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

In force.