

Counties, Cities, Towns, and Precincts, to seize and re-take such Person or Persons so escaped, or going at large; and such Person or Persons so re-taken upon such Warrant forthwith to convey and commit to the Common Gaol of such County where such Person or Persons so escaped, or going at large, shall be re-taken, there to remain without Bail or Mainprize, or being thence upon any Account whatsoever delivered or removed, until he, she, or they shall have made full Payment or Satisfaction to the respective Plaintiff or Plaintiffs, Creditor or Creditors, in such Action or Actions, Execution or Executions, named, or until the Judgment or Judgments, on which such Execution or Executions was or were sued out against such Person or Persons, shall be reversed or discharged by due Course of Law, or until Judgment in such Action or Actions be given for such Person or Persons so committed, as aforesaid, or until the said Contempt or Contempts, for which such Person or Persons were or shall be committed, be cleared and discharged; except such Person or Persons be charged with Treason or Felony, or any other Crime, Matter, or Cause, for and on the behalf of the Queen's Majesty, her Heirs, and Successors; and if he or she, for any such Cause, on the Behalf of the Queen, her Heirs and Successors, be removed to any other Gaol or Prison, he or she shall be, in the Custody of such Gaol charged, with all the Clauses with which he or she is or shall be charged in the Gaol from whence he or she shall be removed; and every Mayor or other Officer, as aforesaid, after Delivery of such Prisoner so re-taken, together with such Warrant to the Sheriff, shall take a Note in writing from such Sheriff, testifying the Receipt of such Prisoner, which said Sheriff is hereby required to receive such Prisoner and give such Note: And every such Sheriff, as aforesaid, after the Execution of such Warrant, shall forthwith make a Return thereof to the Court where the Action shall be depending, or Judgment, Order, or Decree had or obtained; which shall be entred and filed upon Record.

II. And be it further enacted, That if any such Person or Persons so re-taken by Warrant, as aforesaid, shall at any Time make any Escape out of the Gaol to which he, she, or they shall be so conveyed and committed, as aforesaid, the *Sheriff, in whose Custody he, she, or they was or were, **648** shall be liable to answer for such Escape, as in the Case of any other Escape; any Law, Usage, or Custom to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.