

as aforesaid; provided that application for such abatement as aforesaid shall be made by the party applying for the same before the annual revision and correction of the tax lists for the year in which said applicant desires such abatement, but it shall not be necessary for the applicant to renew his application from year to year. Said application shall be verified to the satisfaction of said court by the oath of the party applying for the same or other satisfactory evidence. Said court shall further keep a record of all abatements made by it as aforesaid and report in writing the aggregate amount thereof to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore on or before the fifteenth day of October in each year. And provided further, that laundry machinery when employed or used in the business of laundrying shall be classed as manufacturing within the purposes of this sub-paragraph.

Approved April 18th, 1916.

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#### CHAPTER 562.

AN ACT to refund to L. E. P. Dennis of Crisfield, Md., a certain sum of money erroneously paid into the State Treasury.

WHEREAS, L. E. P. Dennis did erroneously apply for and have issued to him on June 10, 1915, four purse net licenses for which he paid into the State Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars each, or one hundred dollars; therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Comptroller of the Treasury of Maryland be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue his warrant upon the Treasurer of this State in favor of L. E. P. Dennis for the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, being amount of money erroneously paid into the State Treasury on June tenth, nineteen hundred and fifteen, by the said L. E. P. Dennis for four purse net licenses; the said repayment having received the recommendation of the Treasury officials..

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1st, 1916.

Approved April 18th, 1916.