

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, CHAP. 3.
 That John Powell be and he is hereby authorised and em- Empowered to
 powered to take, hold and dispose of the real property he hold property.
 may now possess, within the limits of the State of Mary-
 land, or which he may hereafter acquire, in the same man-
 ner as if he, the said John Powell had been, and was a na-
 turalized citizen of the United States, at the time when his
 claim to such property originated; *provided,* that the said Proviso
 John Powell shall, so soon after the passage of this act as
 the law will permit, become naturalized agreeably to the
 laws of the United States; but if the said John Powell
 should die before he thus becomes naturalized, his heirs
 shall inherit in the same manner as if he had been a natu-
 ralized citizen.

CHAPTER 3.

An act, entitled an act to authorise the removal of certain Passed Jan. 6,
cases to the Court of Howard District of Anne Arundel 1841.
County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of* Copy of record
Maryland, That upon the passage of this act, it shall be to be trans-
 the duty of the clerk of Anne Arundel county court, to mitted
 transmit a copy of the record of such cases now upon the
 docket of said last mentioned court, to the court of How-
 ard district of Anne Arundel county, as the parties, plain-
 tiffs and defendants, or their attornies, shall direct to be so
 removed.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That upon the transmission Court to try ca-
 of such record to said court of Howard district, as afore- ses so trans-
 said, it shall be the duty of said court to proceed to try mitted
 said case or cases, as removed causes are now tried.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That it shall be the duty of Expense—how
 the clerk of Anne Arundel county court, to charge one defrayed
 half of the expenses of such transcript in said cases to
 the plaintiffs, and the other half to the defendants.

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