

CHAPTER 346.

AN ACT relating to Equity Proceedings.

Suits in 4th
and 6th ju-
dicial dist.
may be
removed to
high court
of chancery.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That in any equity suit now pending or hereafter instituted in either of the county courts of the fourth and sixth judicial districts, either or any of the parties to such suit may suggest in writing, that he desires that the said suit may be removed to the high court of chancery, and upon the filing of said suggestion with the clerk of the court in which such suit may be pending, and also filing therewith the affidavit of some party to the suit, or the affidavit of the solicitor or attorney of some party, that removal is not desired to produce delay, but to expedite the determination of the suit, it shall be the duty of the clerk forthwith to transmit the bill, answer, exhibit, and all other proceedings in such suit, to the high court of chancery of this state, and the high court of chancery shall proceed in such suit, and hear and determine the same, in the same manner as if such suit had been originally instituted in the said high court of chancery.

Appeal on
injunctions
provided.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That when any injunction which has heretofore issued, or shall hereafter issue from the court of chancery, or any county court as a court of equity, or where any receiver or receivers have been, or shall be ordered or appointed by the court of chancery, or county court as a court of equity, it shall be lawful for the defendants in the case, or any of them, to appeal from the granting of such injunction, or from the refusal to dissolve the same, or from the order, ordering or appointing such receiver, the answer of the defendant or defendants being first filed to* the court of appeals, of the shore where such injunction shall have been issued, or receiver appointed, and it shall be the duty of the said court of appeals, at the first term of the said appeal, to hear and determine the same, and to pass such order in the premises, as to it may seem right.

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Trial
directed.

Bond re-
quired.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That during the pendency of the appeal provided by the preceding section, and from the time such appeal shall have been taken, the order granting or refusing to dissolve the injunction, except in cases of injunction to stay waste, and the order appointing a receiver, shall have no operation, nor shall it be necessary for the party appealing, to give bond with security to stay the proceedings, except in cases where the party obtaining injunction, or having the receiver appointed, had given bond with security to indemnify the opposite party from the consequences of the injunction, or such appointment of a receiver, but when such security has been, or shall be given by the opposite party, then the party appellant shall give bond with surety or sureties, to be approved by a

Bond.