

CHAPTER 140.

AN ACT to refund to Edward W. Mealey, administrator of Edward M. Mealey, of Washington county, deceased, the sum of four hundred and forty-two dollars and seventy cents, the amount of a bail-bond, interest, and costs, forfeited to the State by Edward M. Mealey, of Washington county, deceased, as surety for Leo Albaugh.

WHEREAS, In the year eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, a certain Edward M. Mealey, became security for the appearance at the November term, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, of the Circuit Court for Washington county, of one Leo Albaugh, and the said Leo Albaugh did appear, and his case was continued to the March term, eighteen hundred and seventy, of said court, and the bail-bond renewed, and

WHEREAS, The said Leo Albaugh was arrested in Allegany county, and confined in Allegany county jail, on another charge, and the authorities in whose charge he was, refused to deliver him over to the proper authorities of Washington county in time to answer at the March term, eighteen hundred and seventy, of said court, whereby said bail-bond was forfeited, and

WHEREAS, Before the next term of said court, said Leo Albaugh was dead, and could not be produced to answer the charge, therefore

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and required to issue his warrant to the Treasurer, to pay to Edward W. Mealey, administrator of Edward M. Mealey, late of Washington county, deceased, the sum of four hundred and forty-two dollars and seventy cents, being the amount of a bail-bond, interest and costs, forfeited by said Edward M. Mealey, as surety for one Leo Albaugh.

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

Approved March 27, 1872.