

CHAPTER 222.

AN ACT to pay and compensate William Frank Tucker, for services rendered in the United States Circuit, and the United States District Courts in defence of certain officers of registration, judges of election and others indicted and prosecuted therein for violation, as alleged, of the act of Congress, entitled "an act to enforce the rights of citizens of the United States to vote in the several States of the Union, and for other purposes."

Preamble

WHEREAS, under the act of the General Assembly of Maryland passed at the January session, of eighteen hundred and seventy-two, chapter two hundred and seven, provisions was made for the defence of certain officers of registration, judges of elections, and other citizens of this State, then under indictment in the United States Courts, for alleged violations of the acts of Congress, approved May the thirty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy, entitled "an act to enforce the rights of citizens of the United States, to vote in the several States of this Union, and for other purposes," and whereas pursuant to the provisions of the said act, His Excellency William Pinkney Whyte, Governor of Maryland, appointed William Frank Tucker to assist the Attorney General of the State, in the defence of the parties so prosecuted; and whereas it appears to the General Assembly, that the services contemplated by the said act, have been duly rendered by the said Tucker according to true intent and meaning of the same, therefore—

Appropriation
to Wm Frank
Tucker

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Comptroller of the Treasury of the State of Maryland, shall forthwith issue to the Treasurer of Maryland, his warrant authorizing and directing him to pay to the said William Frank Tucker, the sum of four hundred dollars in full compensation for such legal service rendered in such cases as was contemplated by the act of Assembly of eighteen hundred and seventy-two, chapter two hundred and seven.