

CHAP. 245. which shall have been established in virtue of this act, in the same ratio, and at the same time as the present donation of eight hundred dollars is provided for being distributed.

Repealing clause. **Sec. 9.** *And be it enacted,* That any thing, in any law of this state, inconsistent with the provisions of this act, or repugnant thereto, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 245.

Passed Mar. 9, 1832. *An act Regulating the Inspection of Green Hides and Skins, in the City of Baltimore.*

Inspector to be appointed. **Section 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the governor of this State shall nominate, and with the consent of the council, appoint, on or before the first day of May next, and annually thereafter, a suitable and proper person to be inspector of green hides and skins in the city of Baltimore.

Experience—Residence. **Sec. 2.** *And be it enacted,* That the person to be appointed shall be an experienced manufacturer of leather, and shall reside in the city of Baltimore.

Oath required. **Sec. 3.** *And be it enacted,* That before entering on the duties of his office the inspector shall make oath or affirmation, before a justice of the peace, that he will, in all things well and truly discharge his duty in the office of an inspector, according to the best of his skill and judgment, and according to the directions of this act, without fear, favour, affection, malice or partiality; and the same shall forthwith be filed in the office of the clerk of Baltimore county court.

Filed. **Bond required.** **Sec. 4.** *And be it enacted,* That the inspector shall also, before entering upon the duties of his office, with one sufficient security, to be approved by the mayor of said city council, execute a bond to the State, in the penalty of one thousand dollars, conditioned to pay all such damages as may be sustained by reason of any wilful omission, refusal or neglect, in discharging the duties of said office; which bond shall also be filed with the said clerk, and may be prosecuted by any person injured or damaged on account of any such omission, neglect, or refusal.

His duty to inspect. **Sec. 5.** *And be it enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the said inspector to inspect, at as early an hour in each day of the week, (if necessary) except Sunday, as may be, at the yards or buildings of the purchasers, all green hides and calfskins, taken from beef, cattle, and calves, slaughtered in the city of Baltimore, and purchased therein.