

and skins in the city of Baltimore, which oath or affirmation, (as the case may be,) when taken and reduced to writing shall be lodged in the office of the register of said city to be by him recorded.

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Sec. 17. *And be it enacted*, That each of said arbitrators shall, for every such arbitration as aforesaid, in which he shall act upon, be entitled to receive the sum of one dollar, to be paid by the person or persons making such appeal, in case the decision appealed from shall be affirmed, or in case of the reversal of such decision, then by the inspector making the same.

Compensation to arbitrators.

CHAPTER 246.

*An act for the relief of Eliza Kite, of the city of Baltimore.*

Passed Mar. 9, 1832

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the said Eliza Kite, be, and she is hereby divorced from bed, board and mutual cohabitation with her husband, Benjamin Kite.

Divorce.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said Benjamin Kite, shall not be liable for any debt, to be hereafter contracted by the said Eliza Kite, nor be entitled to any property which she now has or may hereafter acquire; and the said Eliza Kite shall, to every effect, intent and purpose, be capable, in law and equity, to take and to hold and dispose of any property, and make and be bound by any contracts or engagements, as if she were a feme sole, and had never been married; *Provided however*, That nothing herein contained shall authorise the said Eliza to contract marriage during the life of the said Benjamin Kite, nor the said Benjamin, during the life of the said Eliza.

Liabilities annulled.

Feme sole.

Proviso.

CHAPTER 247.

*An act to make valid a deed from Grafton Duvall and Elizabeth W. Duvall, his wife, to Alexander Thomas Hawkins Duvall.*

Passed Mar. 8, 1832

WHEREAS, it is represented to this General Assembly, that Grafton Duvall and Elizabeth W. Duval, his wife, did, on the twelfth day of March, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-one, execute, acknowledge, and deliver to Alexander Thomas Hawkins Duvall, their deed of bargain and

Preamble.