

which have peaceably descended from generation to generation, thereby producing much confusion and disorder; *and whereas also*, it is doubtful whether the title of said State, in and to such lands however valid in law, can be equitably enforced under the peculiar circumstances of this case:—Therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the decision of the Frederick county court heretofore made, in or about the year eighteen hundred and twenty-five, refusing upon application to reinstate the suit of the State against the said James Hughes and others, after the same had upon motion struck from the docket of said court, be and the same is declared to be final and conclusive upon said State and other parties to said suit. Decision made conclusive

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the proper officers or legal agents of this State, be and the same are hereby required to abandon and cease to prosecute the appeal taken in the name of the State from the decision of the aforesaid county court. Suit abandoned

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the said State, in order to quiet the title and possession of the said memorialist and others interested, doth hereby release, surrender and abandon all the right, title and interest of said State, in and to said portion of land called, Silver Fancy, and doth hereby confirm unto the present owners and occupants thereof, their titles to the same against the said State forever, any law to the contrary notwithstanding. Release

CHAPTER 348.

A supplement to an act entitled, an act to regulate the Inspection of Salted Fish. Passed May 23, 1836

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That in all cases where salted fish has been inspected in other States, and which may hereafter be imported into this State, it shall be optional with the purchaser, or seller, of said fish to reinspect the same. Re-inspection optional