

gany county, dated the twenty-third day of November, eighteen hundred and thirteen, to a certain George Hebb that the said tract of land called Strife became chargeable, and was charged with the payment of county taxes in Allegany county, as the property of one William Stiger, who had purchased the same from said Thompson Fiddey, and the said tract of land called Strife, was regularly sold according to law by the said William McMahan, collector, to a certain George Hebb, for the payment of the tax charged as appears by said deed; *and whereas*, it appears that said George Hebb, sold the land called Strife, on the twenty-fifth day of November, eighteen hundred and thirteen, by deed of that date, to a certain Henry Wright; *and whereas*, it appears that the said Wright is since dead, leaving as his heirs at law, the following children, Thomas Wright, John Wright, William Wright, James Wright, Rachel Arnold, Jane Rover, Eleanor Anderson, Samuel Wright, and the following grand children, Emily Totten, Rachel Totten, Henry Totten, Ann Totten, Elizabeth Totten, Indiana Totten, Sarah Totten, and Minerva Totten; *and whereas* from the peculiar circumstances of the case, there will be unusual difficulty and inconvenience in procuring a patent from the land office, and the title is defective without a patent, or some special legislation to confirm the title,—Therefore;

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, Title vested
That all the right, title, interest and estate of this State to said tract of land, called, Strife, as mentioned in said certificate of resurvey returned to the land office, and as mentioned in said deeds, is forever relinquished and vested in said Thomas Wright, John Wright, William Wright, Rachael Arnold, Jane Rorer, Eleanor Anderson, Samuel Wright, children of said Henry Wright, and the following grand children of said Henry Wright, Emily Totten, Rachael Totten, Henry Totten, Rebecca Ann Totten, Elizabeth Totten, Indiana Totten, Sarah Totten, Minerva Totten, according to their respective interests as the proper heirs at law of said Henry Wright, as fully and effectually as it could be by patent from the land office.