CHAPTER 222.

AN ACT to refund to the Adams Express company the State license tax paid by said company under the act of eighteen hundred and seventy-four, chapter three hundred and seventy, the said license tax having been declared unconstitutional by the supreme court of the United States.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the comptroller of the treasury be and he is hereby directed to issue his warrant on the treasurer of Maryland, to refund to the Adams Express company, a company engaged in the transportation of goods from State to State, the sum of four thousand eight hundred and twenty-five dollars, the said amount having been paid into the treasury by said Adams Express company under and in pursuance of the provisions of the act of eighteen hundred and seventy-four, chapter three hundred and seventy, imposing a license tax on the business of said company, which said tax has been declared by the supreme court of the United States, as a violation of the constitution of the United States.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the release of John Hoey, of New York, the president of said Adams Express company, signed, sealed and executed before a notary public, shall be Releaso. a sufficient acquittance to the treasurer of the State for the payment of said amount hereby directed to be refunded.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That this act shall take effect Effective. from the date of its passage.

Approved March 31, 1890.

CHAPTER 223.

AN ACT to add an additional section to article twenty-seven, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Fraud, warehouse, storage and elevator receipts," to come in after section one hundred and nineteen of said article, and to be designated as "Section one hundred and nineteen A," relating to the fraudulent use of elevator and other receipts.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the following section be and the same is hereby added to article twenty-seven of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Fraud, warehouse, storage and elevator receipts," to come in after section one hundred and