

JOSEPH KENT, ESQUIRE, GOVERNOR

Dec. Ses 1825.

Return:
Proceedings,

2. *And be it enacted*, That after having made such allotment the commissioners aforesaid, or a majority of them shall return their proceedings to the next county court, that shall happen thereafter to be ratified or rejected, as justice may dictate, and if ratified, the partition so made shall be recorded and remain and be binding upon all the parties and upon all persons claiming under them respectively.

Equalizing.

3. *And be it enacted*, That the said shares respectively shall be liable in the first place for the payment to those to whom the others shall be as aforesaid, allotted of such sums as by the return of the commissioners aforesaid shall appear necessary to equalize the value of the said shares, and that the shares which may be allotted to the heirs or representatives of Henry O'Neal and John O'Neal shall enure to them, subject to the same liabilities and right as if this partition and allotment had been made and ratified in the lifetime of the said John O'Neal and Henry O'Neal respectively.

CHAPTER 149.

Passed March
2, 1826.

An act to reduce the salary of the Examiner General of the Eastern Shore.

Preamble:

WHEREAS, the business of the land office on the eastern shore of this state, has so much diminished, as to leave but little duty to be performed by the examiner general; And whereas, good policy requires that salaries liberal, but not profuse, should be provided for the public officers, proportioned to the duties required to be performed; Therefore,

Account on
of fees;
salary, \$200.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the examiner general of the eastern shore, from and after the passage of this act, shall account once in each year, on oath, with the treasurer of the eastern shore, for all fees of his office by him received, or which may be due to him; and that the said treasurer upon a liquidation of the said account, shall pay to the said examiner, out of any unappropriated money in the treasury, such sum as together with the said account of fees shall make up a salary of two hundred dollars current money.

Former law
repealed.

2. *And be it enacted*, That the act of assembly entitled, a supplement to the act respecting certificates of survey made on the eastern shore passed at November session, seventeen hundred and ninety seven, chapter fifty three, be, and the same is hereby repealed.