

LAWS OF MARYLAND.

CHAPTER 215.

Passed May 16, 1853. AN ACT granting to Mrs. Elizabeth Sumwalt a sum of money paid by her late husband as a tax for his commission as Lumber Inspector.

Preamble. WHEREAS, Andrew Sumwalt was appointed an Inspector of Lumber in May, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, and paid to the State as a tax on his commission, the sum of fifty dollars, and died without having entered on the discharge of his duties, and it appearing reasonable and proper that said tax should be refunded; Now therefore,

Authority to pay. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Treasurer upon the warrant of the Comptroller, be and he is hereby directed to pay to Mrs. Elizabeth Sumwalt, widow of Andrew Sumwalt, late Inspector of lumber in the city of Baltimore, the sum of fifty dollars, that being the amount paid to the State by her late husband as a tax on his commission.

In force. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

CHAPTER 216.

Passed May 16, 1853. AN ACT to amend the charter of the National Mining Company.

Division of shares. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the capital stock of the National Mining company shall be divided into shares of five dollars each.

Repealed. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That so much of the second section of the act incorporating the National Mining company, passed May, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, chapter three hundred and twenty-seven, as provides that the capital stock of said company shall be divided into shares of fifteen dollars each, and so much of the fifth section of said act as provides that the amount invested in any one mine of said company shall not exceed the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, be and the same is hereby repealed.