

CHAPTER 393.

AN ACT to authorise the Treasurer to pay George M. Duvall, for services rendered the State in the Comptroller's office. Passed May 30, 1853.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Treasurer is authorised and directed to pay, upon the warrant of the Comptroller, to George M. Duvall, the sum of four hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents, for services rendered the State, as assistant clerk in the Comptroller's office, from the first of August, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, to the twenty-first of April, eighteen hundred and fifty-three. Authority to pay.

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

CHAPTER 394.

AN ACT to authorise and require the Commissioners of Montgomery county, to levy on the assessable property of said county, the sum of twenty-five dollars and ten cents, to be refunded to Joseph H. Jones, for county taxes improperly paid by him for the years eighteen hundred and forty-five, eighteen hundred and forty-six, eighteen hundred and forty-seven and eighteen hundred and forty-eight. Passed May 30, 1853.

WHEREAS, Joseph H. Jones, a citizen of Montgomery county, removed from thence to Frederick county, in the State of Maryland, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-four, and carried with him his personal estate, amounting in value to the sum of twenty-three hundred and sixty-eight dollars; which said property, or so much thereof as was not disposed of by him, was assessed in Frederick county, upon his removal thereto; *And whereas,* in consequence of his failing to appear in person before the county commissioners of Montgomery county, his property was not stricken from the assessors books of said county, by reason whereof he has paid the State and county taxes in both Montgomery and in Frederick counties, upon the same property, for the Preamble.