

Plat of ground,
ceded.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland* That a plat of ground, twenty-four feet square, be and is hereby ceded to the United States of America within the ground surrounding the State House and known as the State House Circle, located at Annapolis, for the purpose aforesaid, the said plat to be any part of said circle which may be agreed upon by the secretary of state of the United States, and the Honorable Robert M. McLane, Governor. And the Governor of the State of Maryland is hereby empowered to execute to the United States such further assurance or conveyance as the laws of the United States require in the premises; provided, always, that this state shall retain concurrent jurisdiction with the United States, in and over the land hereby ceded, so far that all processes, civil and criminal, issuing under the authority of this state or any of the courts or judicial officers thereof, may be executed on the premises so ceded, and in or on any structure that may be placed thereon, in the same manner and to the same extent as if this cession had never been made.

Concurrent jurisdiction.

Effective.

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

Approved April 8, 1884.