

die while in said service, the whole of said bounty, if the same shall not have been paid previously, or so much thereof as may remain unpaid at the time of the death of such person, shall be paid: *First*, To his widow, if there be one. *Second*, If there be no widow, then to his children equally. *Third*, If he leave no widow, child or children, then to his mother. *Fourth*, If he leave no mother, then to his father, if no father, then to his brothers and sisters equally, and if he leave no brother or sister, then the same shall revert to the State.

Sec. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That no payment shall be made by virtue of this act, to any agent or attorney who may claim the same by virtue of any agency created or any power of attorney executed prior to the passage of this act. Not to be paid on power of attorney executed prior to act.

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of the passage. In force.

CHAPTER 50.

AN ACT appropriating a sum of money for legal services rendered by Thomas Donaldson, to the State of Maryland. Passed March 9, 1865.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Treasurer is hereby directed to pay, on the warrant of the Comptroller, to Thomas Donaldson, the sum of four hundred dollars in full compensation for his services in the case of the State of Maryland, *vs. McCauley*, and his sureties, in the Court of Appeals, in the mandamus case of the Maryland and Delaware Rail Road Company, *vs. the State of Maryland* in the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel county, and for all other legal services heretofore rendered. Authorized to pay.

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