

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That an additional Section be, and the same is hereby added to Article 21 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (Bagby's Code), title "Conveyancing," to be known as Section 53B and to be sub-titled "Conditional Contracts of Sales," and when so added to read as follows:

53B. Every note, sale or contract for the sale of goods and chattels, wherein the title thereto, or a lien thereon, is reserved until the same be paid in whole or in part, or the transfer of title is made to depend upon any condition therein expressed, and possession is to be delivered to the vendee, shall, in respect to such reservation and condition, be void as to third persons without notice until such note, sale or contract be in writing, signed by the vendee, and be recorded in the Clerk's Office of Baltimore City, or the Counties, as the case may be, where bills of sale are now recorded; and such recording shall be sufficient to give actual or constructive notice to third persons when a memorandum of the paper writing, setting forth the date thereof, the amount due thereon, when and how payable and a brief description of the goods and chattels therein mentioned shall have been recorded, but it shall not be necessary that said paper writing be acknowledged or an affidavit made to the consideration therein expressed as in the case of bills of sale.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act will take effect on the first day of June, 1916.

Approved April 18th, 1916.

CHAPTER 356.

AN ACT to authorize and direct the Comptroller of the State Treasury to refund to William S. Cullen, money paid by him by mistake for Fishery License for 1914.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Comptroller of the Treasury be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant upon the State Treasury in favor of William S. Cullen, for the sum of Seven Dollars and Sixty Cents (\$7.60), being the amount of money paid by the said William S. Cullen into the State Treasury by mistake for Fishery License for 1914.