

T. HOLLIDAY HICKS, ESQ., GOVERNOR. 1860.

CHAPTER 371.

CHAP 372.

AN ACT to authorise the Treasurer, to pay to Joshua H. Hynes, former sheriff of Baltimore county, a certain sum of money. Passed March 10, 1860.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorised and directed upon the warrant of the Comptroller, to pay to the order of Joshua H. Hynes, former sheriff of Baltimore county, the sum of ninety-nine dollars and eleven cents, being the sum by which his account as collector of the State taxes for the year eighteen hundred and fifty, is overpaid. Authorised to pay.

SEC. 12. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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CHAPTER 372.

AN ACT in relation to the debt due to the State from the Tide Water Canal company, and the the Susquehanna Canal company. Passed March 8, 1860.

WHEREAS, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, the State lent to the Tide Water Canal company and the Susquehanna Canal company, one million of dollars, in the bonds of the State, upon which the said companies agreed to pay the interest, as the same accrued; *and whereas,* the said companies afterwards fell in arrear to the State, for a portion of the said interest, and in the years eighteen hundred and forty-four and eighteen hundred and fifty-three, agreed to fund said arrears and to pay interest thereon, which they have been unable to do; *and whereas,* the said companies have now petitioned the Legislature to have the account between them and the State, stated for the interest on the said million loan, from the date when the same first became payable, to the present time, and that they may be allowed to pay off the balance which may be found to be due to the State, upon such account in full discharge of the claims of the State for said interest in arrear, now therefore, Preamble.