

CHAP. 54. he was duly naturalized in conformity to law, and that prior to said naturalization he had acquired real estate within the State of Maryland; and whereas, proper legal evidence has been given in with said petition, to the effect that said Jacob Farst was so naturalized as in said petition alleged—therefore,

Acts made
valid.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That all lands and tenements, in the State of Maryland, acquired by Jacob Farst aforesaid by gift, purchase, or in any other manner, prior to the said eleventh day of December, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-five, be and the same are hereby vested in the said Jacob Farst, his heirs and assigns, in the same manner as if he had been duly naturalized at the acquisition thereof, and that all deeds or other contracts for such real estate made by or to said Jacob Farst, prior to his being naturalized as aforesaid, shall be held, deemed, and construed in all courts of law and equity in the State of Maryland, as valid and binding as if the said Jacob Farst had been duly naturalized at the execution thereof.

Relinquished.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That all rights accruing to the State in and to said lands and tenements by reason of the alienage of said Jacob Farst, be and the same are hereby relinquished and released to and for the benefit of said Jacob Farst, his heirs and assigns forever.

CHAPTER 53.

Passed Jan. 31, 1846. *An act to divorce Margaret E. Gratz, of Baltimore City, from her husband Hyman Gratz, junior.*

Divorced.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the marriage heretofore solemnized between Margaret E. Gratz, of Baltimore city, and her husband Hyman Gratz, junior, be and the same is hereby declared null and void, and that the said Margaret E. Gratz and Hyman Gratz, junior, be and they are hereby divorced a vinculo matrimonii.

CHAPTER 54.

Passed Jan. 31, 1846. *An act authorising amendments in writs of attachment.*
Attachment not to abate. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the passage of this law, no writ of

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