

of the par value of one hundred dollars each of an amount equivalent to the par value of the certificate so surrendered.

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

Approved April 10, 1900.

CHAPTER 617.

AN ACT to refund to John J. Scoone and twenty-eight (28) others, citizens of Kent County and State of Maryland, the sum of four dollars and seventy-five cents (\$4.75), each paid to the State of Maryland in error, as decided by Circuit Court for Kent County, Maryland, as a tax, under Chapter four hundred and forty-one, of the Acts of eighteen hundred and ninety-six, as per license certificates hereto attached.

WHEREAS, John J. Scoone, Henry Wise, John Dowling, V. R. Blackbourne, Geo. P. Apsley, John Wise, W. J. Coleman, W. H. Creighton, W. J. Downey, Robert Joiner, Charles H. Joiner, Eugene Downey, George R. Scoone, John J. Davis, Benj. Sewell, W. T. Downey, John T. Stuvens, John Joiner, Thomas Joiner, James H. Thomas, Joshua Thomas, George B. Sewell, Marion Sewell, Richard Sanders, Walter F. Fields, B. F. Wise, George Ayres, Joseph D. Hynson and John W. Boyer, have each paid the sum of four dollars and seventy-five cents (\$4.75), as a license to fish in the waters of the Chesapeake Bay, under the provisions of this Act of eighteen hundred and ninety-six, Chapter four hundred and forty-one, to fish with gill nets, north of a line one mile south of Poole's Island; and,

WHEREAS, Under the provisions of Section ninety-eight, of said Act, gill nets are exempted from the provisions of said Act requiring a license to fish in said waters thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Comptroller is hereby directed to issue his warrant upon the Treasurer, one payable to John J. Scoone, of Kent County, Maryland, for the amount of four dollars and seventy-five cents (\$4.75) for said license paid in error; one to Henry Wise, of said county, for the sum of four dollars and seventy-five cents (\$4.75) for same; one to John Dowling, of said county, for the sum of four dollars and seventy-five cents (\$4.75) for same; one to George P. Apsley, of said county, for the sum of four dollars and seventy-five

Kent County.

Preamble.

Refund a sum of money to certain named persons for licenses paid in error.