

ALLEGANY COUNTY.

SENATE BILL 564.

AN ACT to repeal Sections 37-38, of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Alleghany County", sub-title "Boundary Line", relating to the election in 1906 as to the boundary line between Alleghany and Garrett Counties.

This bill provides for the repeal of Sections 37 and 38 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws (Alleghany County). These sections relate to an election scheduled to have been held in 1906 for the purpose of establishing the boundary line between Alleghany and Garrett Counties. The Attorney General has advised me that, according to the records in the office of the Land Commissioner this election was never held. The Attorney General has further advised me that the repeal of these sections might cause serious difficulties with respect to the existing boundary line between the two counties, and since the law as it now stands does no harm, its repeal might give rise to serious controversies. I believe that this matter should receive serious study and be made the subject of legislation at some future session of the General Assembly.

Under the circumstances, I feel that it would be unwise to do other than veto this measure.

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AN ACT to repeal Sections 163-165A of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Alleghany County", sub-title "Election Districts", sub-headings "Judges and Clerks", and "Advertisements", relating to judges and clerks of election and notices and advertisements as to elections.

This bill provides for the repeal of Sections 163 through 165A of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws (Alleghany County). These sections relate to judges and clerks of elections and notices and advertisements relating to elections. Reference to the Code of Public Local Laws discloses that these sections relate also to Washington and Frederick Counties. After a review of this bill, the Attorney General has suggested the possibility of serious difficulties arising in the other counties should the above numbered sections be repealed. I feel that the matter should be studied more in detail, and that the relation of this measure to the laws of Washington and Frederick Counties and the state-wide election laws should be