

## LAWS OF MARYLAND.

## CHAPTER 96.

AN ACT making an appropriation for the purpose of paying the expenses of the dedication of the Maryland Soldiers Monument on the battlefield of Antietam.

Appropriation  
Maryland  
Soldiers Mon-  
ument.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of the dedication of the Maryland Soldiers Monument erected by authority of Chapter 294-1898, on the battlefield of Antietam.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the sum appropriated by this Act be expended by and under the direction of the Antietam Battlefield Commission, appointed by authority of the said Chapter 294-1898, and the Comptroller is directed to draw his warrant on the Treasurer of the State for the payment of said expenses, upon the presentation of the proper vouchers.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 20, 1900.

## CHAPTER 97.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section eighty-three of Article 19 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "St. Mary's County," sub-title "Oysters."

St. Mary's Co.  
Oysters.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section eighty-three of Article 19 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "St. Mary's County," sub-title "Oysters," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, so as to read as follows:

When unlaw-  
ful to catch.

83. It shall not be lawful for any person to take or catch oysters in the Patuxent river or tributaries thereof, nor in the tributaries of the Potomac river which may be within the lines of St. Mary's County, between the first day of April and the twentieth day of September in each year; nor shall it be lawful for any person, at any time, to take or catch oysters in the Patuxent river north of a straight line drawn from St. Cuthbert's wharf, in St. Mary's County, to St. Leonard's creek, in Calvert County, with any patent tongs worked by ropes, cables or other appliance, to work said patent tongs; and above said