

Maryland Act:

At a session of the General Assembly of Maryland begun and held at the City of Annapolis on the first Wednesday in January being the fourth day of said month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty and ended on the tenth day of March, in the same year.

His Excellency THOMAS H. HICKS, Esquire, Governor:

Among others, the following Law was enacted, to wit:

No. 236.—An Act to provide for Printing, Indexing and Distributing the Code.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Henry C. Mackall be and he is hereby appointed to incorporate the laws of this present session in the Code, and that he prepare the same for the printer who may be employed to reprint the Code, and that he supervise the printing of the same.*

SEC. 2. *And the said Henry C. Mackall is hereby appointed to make a full and particular index of the Code, with the laws of the present session incorporated.*

SEC. 3. *The clerk of the Court of Appeals is hereby directed and required to permit the said Henry C. Mackall to take copies of all the Public, General and Local Laws, passed at this session and to aid him therein so as to enable him to get said copies as speedily as possible, and the said Clerk shall also deliver to the said Henry C. Mackall one of the copies of the Code of Public General and Public Local Laws deposited with him under the act of Assembly.*

SEC. 4. *The said Henry C. Mackall shall be paid for making the said index the sum of one thousand dollars, and for incorporating the laws of this present session and superintending the printing of the Code, the sum of one thousand dollars, and the Treasurer on the warrant of the Comptroller shall pay said sums to the said Henry C. Mackall.*

SEC. 5. *And the said Henry C. Mackall shall contract with such person as the Legislature shall select as printer of the Code for the printing thereof, and shall take bond to the State from such person for the faithful performance of such contracts as the Legislature shall direct to be made with him; And the Librarian shall deliver the Code, when delivered to him, in the same manner and to the same extent that he is by law required to distribute the volumes of*

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted, That John Murphy be hereby appointed to print the said Code and he shall give bond to the State, with Security approved by the said Henry C. Mackall and in the penalty of Ten thousand dollars, for the faithful execution of such contracts as shall be made by the said Henry C. Mackall, which bond shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, and the terms of said contract shall be as follows: The said John Murphy shall print for the State one thousand copies of the two volumes, of the Code, on good white paper of equal quality with that used in the last volume of the Maryland Reports, and bound in law calf, and shall deliver the same to the Librarian on or before the first day of July next, according to the contract made by the joint committee appointed for this purpose.*

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the day of its passage.*

BY THE SENATE,
March 10, 1860.

This engrossed bill the original of which passed the Senate by yeas and nays on the 9th day of March 1860, was this day read and assented to.

By order,
W. KILGOUR,
Secretary.



THOS. H. HICKS.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
March 10, 1860.

This engrossed bill the original of which passed the House of Delegates by yeas and nays on the 9th day of March 1860, was this day read and assented to.

By order,
M. Y. KIDD,
Chief Clerk.

MARYLAND, S. C.—I, WILLIAM A. SPENCER, Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland of which it purports to be a copy, as taken from the original engrossed bill deposited in and belonging to the office of the said Court of Appeals of Maryland.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the Seal of the said Court of Appeals, this nineteenth day of May, A. D., 1860.

WM. A. SPENCER, Clerk Court of Appeals of Md.