

## CHAPTER 291.

AN ACT to repeal Section five hundred and thirty-five, Article four, Code of Public Local Laws for the City of Baltimore, sub-title "Tobacco," and to enact a substitute therefor.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section five hundred and thirty-five, Article four, of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "City of Baltimore," sub-title "Tobacco," be repealed, and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

Repealed and re-enacted.

535. After the passage of this Act it shall not be lawful to carry out of this State, in hogsheads, any tobacco raised in this State, except in hogsheads which shall have been inspected, passed and marked agreeably to the provisions of this Act, unless such tobacco shall have been inspected and passed before this Act goes into operation; and any person violating the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay the sum of three hundred dollars, which may be recovered in any court of law of this State, and which shall go to the credit of the tobacco fund; *provided,* that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prohibit any grower of tobacco or any purchaser thereof, who may pack the same in the county or neighborhood where grown, from exporting or carrying out of this State any such tobacco without having the same opened for inspection; but such tobacco so exported or carried out of this State without inspection, shall in all cases be marked with the name in full of the owner thereof, and the place of residence of such owner, and shall be liable to the same charge of outrage and storage as in other cases, and any person who shall carry or send out of this State any such tobacco, without having it so marked, shall be subject to the penalty prescribed by this section.

Must be inspected.

Penalty.

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

In force.

Approved April 4, 1870.