the Code of Public General Laws, regulating the inspection of tobacco," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted as follows:

29. Every hogshead of tobacco of the growth of this State, that shall remain in any warehouse, after being sold by the grower, or his agent, for a longer period than six months, and every hogshead of tobacco of the growth of any other State, whether sold or unsold, that shall remain in any warehouse for a longer period than four months, the inspector of charge for such warehouse shall charge the owner thereof, the sum of fifteen cents for each month after the said six months.

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

Approved April 11th, 1874.

## CHAPTER 395.

AN ACT to authorize the United States to procure the condemnation of lands within the State of Maryland, for certain public purposes, and ceding the jurisdiction thereof when so condemned to the United States.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That whenever the United States are depurchasing or sirous of purchasing or procuring the title to any procuring the tract, piece or parcel of land, within the boundaries or limits of this State, for the purpose of erecting thereon any light-house, beacon-light, range-light, light-keeper's dwelling, forts, magazines, arsenals, dock-yards, buoys, public piers, or necessary public buildings or improvements connected therewith, and cannot agree with the owner or owners thereof as to the price and for the purchase thereof; or if the owners or any of them be feme covert, under age, non compos mentis, or out of the county wherein the