

petroleum or its products, as provided in section two of this act, the party or parties who have sold such oils or fluids shall have the privilege of referring the same to some commissioned inspector, recognized by the oil trade of Baltimore, whose decision shall be *prima facie* evidence of the quality of said oil or fluid.

Convicted. SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That if any inspector of oils shall be convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction of furnishing a false report of the fire-test of any oil submitted to his inspection, he shall be liable to a fine of not less than five hundred dollars nor more than two thousand dollars, at the discretion of the court; said fine to be paid into the Treasury of the State.

Not apply. SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*. That the provisions of this act shall not apply to oils or fluids manufactured from petroleum or its products, for the purpose of exportation or for use in street lamps.

In force. SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 11th, 1874.

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## CHAPTER 505.

AN ACT to incorporate the town of Hillsborough, in Caroline county.

Preamble WHEREAS, the citizens of the town of Hillsborough, in Caroline county, Maryland, by petition in writing, have represented to the General Assembly that it would greatly contribute to the advantage and improvement of said town, if the same should be placed under the care and regulation of certain commissioners, hereinafter named, and vested with sufficient power to forward and effect the purpose intended, therefore—

Incorporated SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the citizens of the town of Hills-