ARTICLE LXXVIII.

PUBLIC PRINTER.

- 1. Provisions regarding bids for public printing; character of paper upon which public documents shall be printed; reports, how distributed. Bond.
- 2. Awarding of contract.
- Successful bidder who fails to contract to be sued on his bond by attorney-general.
- Board to report to the general assembly.
- Printing to be delivered to presiding officers of each house; receipts to be given therefor.
- Additional compensation to clerk for his services.
- 7. Copies of new laws to be sent public printer.
- 8. Acts to be classified and indexed.
- 9. Union label to be affixed to printing.

1904, art. 78, sec. 1. 1888, art. 78, sec. 1. 1882, ch. 261. 1886, ch. 492, sec. 2. 1888, ch. 321. 1904, ch. 319, sec. 1. 1908, ch. 206.

1. On or before the first day of September prior to convening of each session of the general assembly of this State, it shall be the duty of the board of public works to insert for ten successive days in three daily newspapers published in the city of Baltimore, and having as nearly as said board may be able to ascertain the largest circulation, the following advertisement: The board of public works will receive sealed proposals or bids based upon specifications, to be furnished to all who may apply for the same, for the state printing for the general assembly of Maryland, at their next ensuing session; and on the —— day of ——, said date being fixed by the said board of public works at or near 12 o'clock M., said sealed proposals or bids, based upon the specifications aforesaid. will be opened in the presence of the bidders. Said proposals or bids shall each include four thousand copies of the governor's message in English, five hundred copies of the governor's message in German, three thousand copies of the reports of the comptroller of the treasury, one thousand copies of the reports of the state treasurer, one thousand copies of the reports of the adjutant general, one thousand copies of the mine inspector's report of Allegany county, two thousand copies of the school reports, one thousand copies of the reports of the insurance commissioner, one thousand copies of the reports of the commissioner of the land office, two thousand copies of the reports of the state board of health; two thousand copies of the reports of the chief of the bureau of statistics and information, one thousand of which shall be distributed by the printer to the labor organizations of the State; one thousand

As to the statements to be furnished the public printer by the comptroller, see art, 19, sec. 29.