

land as to all crimes or misdemeanors committed thereon, and all process, both civil and criminal of the State of Maryland, or of any municipal corporation thereof, may be executed upon the lands so obtained, or in any building erected thereon.

Calibration Range.

1920, ch. 537.

38. The consent of the State of Maryland be, and the same is hereby given, for the installation by the United States of a calibration range in the mouth of the Potomac River along the south bank, the target moorings to be placed at a point bearing 302 degrees thirty minutes true from Smith Point light, distant 9,575 yards, and 154 degrees from Point Lookout light, distant 14,825 yards, which point is to be the center of a rectangle 2,600 yards by 2,000 yards, the firing point to be located at a point bearing north 48 degrees west from the target, distant 18,000 yards and to be the center of rectangle 200 yards by 120 yards; and to the erection of signal towers at each corner of the rectangle surrounding the target moorings, and of permanent ship moorings at each corner of the rectangle surrounding the firing point, and the jurisdiction of the State of Maryland over a radius of two hundred yards surrounding the range towers and target moorings is hereby ceded to the United States so long as the calibration range is maintained. Other areas within the range shall be opened to duly licensed citizens at all times when the range is not being used for calibration practice, of which due notice shall be given by the United States.

Claims of the State Against the United States.

An. Code, sec. 36. 1904, sec. 27. 1900, ch. 296, sec. 1.

39. The governor is authorized and directed to appoint some suitable person or persons to act as the agent or agents of the State of Maryland in the prosecution of all its claims against the government of the United States existing prior to the year 1898, and by written agreement to fix the terms of such employment, the rate of compensation to be paid the said agent or agents for all their services, work and expenses in connection with such agency; provided said agent or agents will accept therefor a contingency of such portion of the moneys actually collected from the government of the United States and paid by it into the treasury of Maryland, as may be agreed upon with the governor, not exceeding thirty per cent. thereof, the same to be a full compensation for the work, services and expenses of all and every kind whatsoever, and no other compensation shall be received from the State therefor.

An. Code, sec. 37. 1904, sec. 28. 1900, ch. 296, sec. 2.

40. In case the said agent or agents or their successors for any reason discontinue or are unable to go on with the work of such agency, then the governor shall from time to time, and as often as may be necessary, appoint another or other agent or agents, so that such agency may be kept alive, and fix by agreement in writing the terms of such employment, with due