

CHAPTER 255.

AN ACT to repeal section third of the acts of January session, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, chapter two hundred and sixty-two, entitled "An act to appropriate the sum of five hundred (500) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purchase of a lot in Havre-de-Grace and the erection thereon of scales suitable for the weighing of hay, straw, cattle and other commodities," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That section three of the acts of January session, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, chapter two hundred and sixty-two, entitled "An act to appropriate the sum of five hundred (500) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purchase of a lot in Havre-de-Grace, and the erection thereon of scales suitable for the weighing of hay, straw, cattle and other commodities," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Repealed and re-enacted.

Certify fact.

SEC. 3. That upon the completion and erection of the said scales, the said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall certify said fact to the Governor, who shall thereupon appoint an inspector of hay, straw and cattle for said scales, to hold his office for two years from the date of his appointment, or until his successor is appointed; the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall renew said appointment biennially, and it shall be the duty of said inspector to weigh at said scales all hay, straw, cattle or other commodities there offered to him to be weighed, and he shall be entitled to demand and receive for each and every load of hay or straw weighing thirty hundred pounds and upwards, thirty-five cents, and for all loads less one cent per hundred pounds, and a like rate per hundred pounds for all other commodities, and which sums so received shall suffice as compensation for holding such office

Make appointment.

Compensation.