

CHAPTER 563.

AN ACT to authorize and direct the attorney-general of the State to take such steps as may be necessary to obtain a decision of the supreme court of the United States, which will settle the controversy between the State of Maryland and West Virginia concerning the true location of that portion of the boundary line, between the two States, lying between Garrett county, Maryland, and Preston county, West Virginia, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor.

To locate boundary line. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the attorney-general of the State be and he is hereby authorized and directed to take as speedily as possible, such steps as may be necessary to obtain a decision of the supreme court of the United States which will settle the controversy between the States of Maryland and West Virginia over and concerning, and which will finally fix and determine the true location of that portion of the boundary line between said States lying between Garrett county in the State of Maryland and Preston county in the State of West Virginia.

Appropriation SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the sum of five hundred dollars is hereby appropriated for the payment of the costs of said suit, and on the certificate of the attorney-general, the comptroller shall issue his warrant on the treasurer for the same or any part thereof, and the treasurer shall pay the same out of any funds not otherwise appropriated.

Effective. SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 8, 1890.

CHAPTER 565.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments sections twenty-three, of article seventy-two, of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Oysters," sub-title "The Oyster Fund," so as to provide for the payment of fines collected under sections one to forty-one, of said article, to the respective counties or city where such fines shall accrue.

Repeal. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That section twenty-three, of article seventy-two, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Oysters," sub-title "The Oyster Fund," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows: