thorized and directed to issue his warrant upon the Treasurer in favor of said Elihu S. Riley for the sum of one thousand dollars.

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That upon the receipt of said copies the State Librarian is hereby directed to retain one hundred copies for the use of the State Library, to send twenty copies to the St. Mary's Reading Room and Debating Society, and to distribute the balance of said copies to such libraries in the cities and counties of the State in such number as the Governor, the Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals and the State Librarian, in their discretion, may deem proper, and the further sum of fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expense of the same.

State Librarian.

Extra copies.

SEC. 4. And be it enacted, That the extra copies be distributed the School Boards in the several counties, according to the school-going population.

Effective.

Sec. 5. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 1, 1886.

CHAPTER 151.

AN ACT to amend article sixteen of the Code of Public General Laws of this State, title "Chancery," sub-title "Jurisdiction," by adding thereto certain additional sections empowering Courts of Equity to pass decrees renewing leases, which shall be binding upon persons proceeded against by publication as well as upon persons who shall have become parties by summons or appearance.

Amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That article sixteen of the Code of Public General Laws of this State,