

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

Approved April 7, 1886.

CHAPTER 315.

AN ACT to provide for the measurement of cord-wood in the city of Baltimore, and also to repeal all provisions of the Code inconsistent therewith.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That all stick-wood sold by retail in the city of Baltimore, shall be measured in a solid frame made of wood or iron; that a frame to measure one-eighth of a cord shall not be larger than ten feet two inches around on the inside; that a frame to measure one-fourth of a cord shall not be larger than twelve feet four inches around on the inside; that a frame to measure three-eighths of a cord shall not be larger than fourteen feet six inches around on the inside; that a frame to measure one-half a cord shall not be larger than sixteen feet eight inches around on the inside; that all frames shall be measured and stamped every year by the Inspector, just as carts are measured and stamped.

Wood measure.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That if any wood-dealer shall sell stick-wood by retail in the city of Baltimore, measured otherwise than in a frame, he or they shall be subject to the penalty of five dollars for each offence; one-half of the penalty to go to the informer; said penalty to be recovered before some Justice of the Peace.

Penalty.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall not apply to the measurement of sawed and split wood.

Sawed wood.