Effective.

SEC. 4. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 4, 1896.

## CHAPTER 375.

AN ACT to repeal Sections 472, 474 and 475 of Article IV of the Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "City of Baltimore," sub-title "Hay and Straw," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Repeal.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That sections 472, 474 and 475 of Article IV of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "City of Baltimore," sub-title "Hay and Straw," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, so as to read as follows:

Weighing hay and straw. 472. All hay and straw brought to the city of Baltimore may be weighed at the State hay scales as now established by law, by one of the inspectors, at the rate of one hundred pounds to the hundred weight, making a reasonable allowance for the moisture thereof, as well as the mud or other substance attached to the wagon, cart or sled containing the same.

Certificate.

474. The inspector shall give a certificate of every load of hay or straw weighed by him, stating the gross and net weight of such straw or hay, and wagon, cart or sled.

Stones, etc., concealed in load. 475. If any person bringing hay or straw to said city shall be detected in having stones, rubbish, wood or anything else concealed in his load, or shall in any manner change the condition of his cart, wagon, carriage or sled, with a fraudulent intention, he shall forfeit and pay for each and every such offense the sum of five dollars.

Effective.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 4th, 1896.