land of 1912, was made by John W. Staton, Esq., of the Worcester Bar, which codification was legalized and adopted by the General Assembly of 1914; but

WHEREAS, only the manuscript of the said codification exists and no provision has ever been made for the printing or publication of said Code.
Now, Therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That John W. Staton be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to so amend his beforementioned Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, Article 24, title "Worcester County" as to include the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland passed since said codification including the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1918; and when such amendment is completed the said John W. Staton is directed to submit the said amended codification to the Judges of the Circuit Court for the First Judicial Circuit of Maryland for their inspection; and when said judges have inspected the same and indicated in writing their approval thereof the same shall be delivered to the County Commissioners of Worcester County, whose duty it shall be to have the same printed in pamphlet form at the expense of said County in such quantity as the said County Commissioners may direct; and the said County Commissioners may arrange for the sale of said printed codification at such price as to the said County Commissioners may seem best, the proceeds to go into the general county funds; and the said County Commissioners upon the approval of said codification by the Judges shall levy and pay to the said John W. Staton the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for his services in bringing the said codification up to - and including the Acts of 1918 as aforesaid.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect from the first day of July, 1918.

Approved April 10th, 1918.

CHAPTER 213.

AN ACT to provide for the indexing of the general land records of Worcester County beginning at the year eighteen hundred and seventy-six, and for the payment of the cost thereof.