

CHAPTER 246.

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.

(Vetoed.)

CHAPTER 247.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 24 of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, title "Elections", sub-title "Registration", as said Act was repealed and re-enacted by the Act of 1916, Chapter 158.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 24 of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, title "Elections", sub-title "Registration", as the same was enacted by the Acts of 1916, Chapter 158, be and the same hereby is repealed and re-enacted with amendments, so as to read as follows:

24. At the end of the last session above provided for, the said Board of Registry shall compare and correct the two registers and make them agree, and the officers having them respectively in their custody shall then immediately under the last name registered under each letter of the registers sign their names, so that no other names can be added without discovery; all of said officers of registration shall then subscribe, at the end of each register, a certificate, in substance, in the words following: "We, the undersigned, constituting the Board of Registry in.....precinct or district of..... county, or in.....precinct of the..... ward of the City of....., in the State of Maryland, do jointly and severally certify that, at the general registration of voters in said precincts, closed on this..... day of....., there were registered by us, in said precinct, the names which in this book are entered, and that the number of registered and qualified voters was and is the number of....."

(Signature).

Dated.....

During the next day the Board of Registry shall return the two registers to the Board of Supervisors of Elections, and in the counties the said Board of Registry shall, at the same time, re-