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

Approved April 1, 1910.

ARTICLE IX.

CHARLES COUNTY.

CHAPTER 367.

AN ACT to repeal Chapter 259 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, of the Session of 1906, entitled "An Act to Regulate the Printing and Publishing to Be Done by the Board of County School Commissioners of Charles County," and re-enact the said Chapter 259 of the Acts of 1906, with amendments, so as to read as follows:

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Chapter 259 of the Acts of 1906 of said General Assembly be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

The Board of County School Commissioners of Charles County shall publish in two newspapers published in said county, if there be two newspapers representing the two political parties, which at the last election preceding the termination of the respective fiscal years polled, respectively, the largest number of votes cast in said county, a statement of all receipts and disbursements, including all money received and expended on account of text-books, and a statement of the indebtedness of the board at the close of the fiscal year, and the items of expense of the several public schools in Charles county, as now required to be published by said board, under the provisions of Section 27 of Article 77 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Public Education," sub-title "County School Commissioners," and including, also, all other matters of which the public should be informed, in the discretion of said Board; provided, however, that said Board of County School Commissioners shall not allow, as compensation or consideration for the publications hereinbefore mentioned more than the current rates charged by said newspapers for such like advertising; and that the aggregate sum paid both of said newspapers shall not exceed the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) for any one fiscal year; and provided further, that in event the publishers or managers of either of said newspapers shall refuse to publish all of the pub-