

The sum of five hundred dollars per annum shall be appropriated, to be expended under the direction of said engineer, if he be a biologist, who shall, in that event, establish one or more stations for said investigation of oyster propagation. All salaries, outlays and disbursements authorized by this Act shall be paid out of the general treasury of the State of Maryland upon requisitions made by the Board of Shell Fish Commissioners, endorsed by the Comptroller of the State, but the same shall be repaid out of the first revenues arising from the leasing of land for oyster culture contemplated by this Act. The Commissioners composing said Board shall, immediately after their appointment, file in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals separate bonds, with a surety or sureties to be approved by the State Treasurer, in the sum of ten thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties imposed by this Act. The said Commissioners shall take and subscribe before the Governor of the State an official oath prescribed by the Constitution. The said Commissioners shall have an office in the City of Baltimore.

SEC. 89. As soon as practicable after the first day of April, 1906, the said Commissioners shall organize and shall at once proceed, with the assistance of such person or persons as may be detailed by the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, and the United States Fish Commissioner, to aid them in their work, and of such persons as may be appointed under the preceding Section, to have laid out, surveyed and designated on the said charts, the natural beds and bars, and shall cause to be marked and defined as accurately as practicable, the limits and boundaries of the natural beds, bars and rocks, as established by said survey, and they shall take true and accurate notes of said survey in writing, and make an accurate report of said survey, setting forth such a description of landmarks as may be necessary to enable the said Board, or their successors, to find and ascertain the boundary lines of the said natural oyster beds, bars and rocks, as shown by a delineation on the maps and charts provided in this Act; said report shall be completed and filed in the office of the Board in the City of Baltimore, within ninety days after the completion of the survey of any County. Said Commissioners shall cause the same to be published in pamphlet form, and transmit copies of the same to the Clerks of the Circuit Courts for their respective Counties, where the charts have been filed or directed to be filed, as hereinafter provided; the said report to be filed by the Clerks of the several Counties in