

general and congressional elections throughout the State, and all special days that may be appointed or recommended by the Governor of this State, or the President of the United States, as days of thanksgiving or fasting and prayer, or other religious observance, or for the general cessation of business, shall be regarded as legal holidays, and shall be duly observed as such, and shall for all purposes whatsoever as regards the presenting for payment or acceptance and of the protesting and giving notice of dishonor of bills of exchange, bank checks, drafts and promissory notes, to be treated and considered as the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, and all such bills, drafts, checks and notes presented for payment or acceptance on these said days, shall be deemed to be presented for acceptance or payment on the secular or business day next succeeding such holiday.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the first day of June, 1916.

Approved April 18th, 1916.

CHAPTER 634.

AN ACT to appropriate a sum of money for the painting and framing of the portrait of Phillips Lee Goldsborough, Ex-Governor of Maryland, to be placed in the State House at Annapolis in the State of Maryland.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to provide for the payment of a portrait of Phillips Lee Goldsborough, Ex-Governor of Maryland, said portrait to be painted and properly framed under the supervision of the Board of Public Works of the State of Maryland, and placed in the Maryland State House.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That upon the completion of the work of painting and framing such a portrait by the person selected by the Board of Public Works, and to the satisfaction of that body, the said Board of Public Works shall issue its certificate to the Comptroller that the said work has been completed by the person so selected, whereupon the Comptroller shall issue his warrant upon the Treasurer in favor of the person so named, and the Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the said sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars.