

shells by purchase or otherwise necessary for use in the manufacture or grinding of lime and do all things necessary to properly carry out the spirit and intent of this Act.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the said Board shall make report to the Comptroller of the State Treasury annually of receipts and expenditures, and any excess over above the expenses, and cost of maintenance of said plants shall be paid into the Treasury of Maryland.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That said Board is hereby directed to sell the lime produced at said plants only to farmers within the State of Maryland for Agricultural purposes, for cash only, and at a price which will enable them to pay all expenses and cost of maintenance with a small percentage over and above the expenses and cost of maintenance to enable them to maintain a sinking fund to reimburse the State (if possible), for the appropriation hereby made.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the Board hereby created is authorized and directed to instruct and encourage farmers all over the State by the distribution of literature through Farmer's Institutes and etc., in the uses of lime in its various forms and the benefits to be derived therefrom, and to exert their good offices in efforts to secure lower freight rates on lime by the transportation companies throughout the State.

SEC. 7. That all Laws and Clauses of Laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 8. That this Act shall be enforced from and after the first day of June, 1916.

Approved April 18th, 1916.

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## CHAPTER 222.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Sections 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 23, 25, 28, 29, 30, 31, 37, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43 and 46 of Article 100 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Work, Hours of, in Factories," sub-title "Employment of Minors," as enacted by Chapter 731 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland for 1912, to repeal and re-enact with amendments Sections 26 and 48 of said Article 100 as repealed and re-enacted with amendments by Chapters 27 and 840 respec-