

indexing, said work not to cost more than five cents per name as indexed and that the Board of County Commissioners for Talbot County be and they are hereby authorized and directed to levy upon the taxable property of said County a sum of money sufficient to pay the costs and expenses of making such index and that they pay over the same to the Clerk upon his certificate that the work has been done and showing the number of names indexed.

Approved April 11th, 1916.

CHAPTER 403.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments section 244 of Article 10 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Dorchester County," sub-title "Oysters," and to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 155 of Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Talbot County," sub-title "Oysters," as said sections were repealed and re-enacted with amendments by the Acts of 1900, Chapter 674, and the Acts of 1902, Chapter 180, said Sections being co-ordinate sections of said Articles, applicable to the waters of Choptank river in common between Dorchester and Talbot counties.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That section 244 of Article 10 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Dorchester County," sub-title "Oysters," and section 155 of Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Talbot County," sub-title "Oysters," as said sections were repealed and re-enacted with amendments by the Acts of 1900, Chapter 674, and the Acts of 1902, Chapter 180, said sections being co-ordinate sections of said Articles in relation to the taking of oysters in the waters in common between Dorchester and Talbot Counties, be and said sections are hereby severally repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read, respectively, as follows:

Section 244 of Article 10, and Section 155 of Article 21. The Clerks of the Circuit Courts for Talbot and Dorchester counties, respectively, shall, upon application of the managing owner, who has been a resident of the county in which he shall apply for one year next preceding such application, and to no other person, issue a license to such resident to employ his