CHAPTER 534.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact Sections 100, 101, 102, 103 and 104 of Article 83 of Bagby's Annotated Code of the Public Civil Laws of Maryland, title "Sales and Notice," sub-title "Sales in Bulk," all said sections providing for "Sales in Bulk" and the procedure to be adopted in connection therewith.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Sections 100, 101, 102, 103 and 104 of Article 83 of Bagby's Annotated Code of the Public Civil Laws of Maryland, title "Sales and Notice," sub-title "Sales in Bulk," be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, so as to read as follows:

100. It shall be the duty of every person who shall bargain for or purchase, and every agent who shall sell for another, any stock of goods, wares or merchandise of any kind, in bulk, or fixtures, or any goods, wares or merchandise of any kind and fixtures, in bulk, for cash or on credit, before paying to the vendor or his agent any part of the purchase price thereof, or any promissory note or other evidence therefor, (except the payment of a sum not to exceed ten (10) per cent. of the purchase price, as a deposit, as hereinafter provided), or offering such stock or fixtures or stock and fixtures for sale, to demand of, and receive from, such vendor or agent, or if the vendor or agent be a corporation, then from the president, vice-president, secretary, or managing agent of such corporation, a written statement, sworn to substantially as hereinafter provided, of the names and addresses of all the creditors of the said vendor to whom said vendor may be indebted, together with the amount of the indebtedness owing by said vendor to each of such creditors, together with a statement of the order of priority, if any, of payment of said amounts, and an accurate inventory of the stock or fixtures, or stock and fixtures, to be purchased or sold. And it shall be the duty of said vendor or agent to furnish said statement, which shall be verified by an oath to the following effect:

State of Maryland
County of ss;
City of

Before me, personally appeared (vendor or agent as the case may be), who, being by me first duly sworn