

1927, and until their successors are appointed and qualified, at such salary as the Governor may fix, the said salary to be paid out of the Conservation Fund until such time as the Governor shall provide for same in the Budget. Vacancies in said Committee shall be filled by the Governor in the same manner as the original appointments.

The Advisory Committee on Oysters shall advise and work with the Conservation Commissioner in the buying of shells and oysters for planting, shall supervise planting and shall suggest and recommend places and bars, in the tributaries of the Chesapeake Bay as well as in the Bay itself, where planting is most needed. On request of said Committee, or any of them, the Conservation Commissioner, shall have power to order the local Boats of the State Fishery Force, with the Deputy Commanders, to be placed at its or his disposal for use in its work. Said Committee shall also suggest and recommend the best time and season for planting, each member of said Committee determining the time and season to be recommended for his own district. The Committee and each of them shall assist the Conservation Commissioner in detecting and reporting violations of the oyster, fish and crab laws of this State, and generally in the work of bettering conditions in the oyster, fish and crab industry.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1927.

Approved April 5, 1927.

CHAPTER 370.

AN ACT to repeal Section 81 of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Elections," subtitle "Count of the Ballots," said section applying to Anne Arundel County only, and to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 80 of said Article extending the provisions of said Section 80 to Anne Arundel County, and thereby making it statewide.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 81 of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Elections," sub-