laws of this State. Section 143 R. Any association entitled to do business in this State under the provisions of Sections 143 E to Sections 143 R, (both in-clusive) of this Article which shall so conduct its affairs or shall in any manner change its charter, constitution or laws so that it shall not answer to the description of a Fraternal Beneficiary Association, as set forth in Section 143 E shall thereupon cease to be entitled to the privileges of said section. Section 2. The Insurance Commissioner of this State shall notify the Supreme Secretary of each of the sa a associations now doing business in this State, of the passage of this Act and enclose a blank for the report of its operations for the year ending December 31st, 1823, and every association receiving such notice and blank shall file such report in the manner provided in Section 143 H, not later than three months from the date of the receipt of such notice and blank, under the like penalties as provided in Section 143 P.

for not filing a report.
Section 3. And be it enacted. That nothing herein contained shall apply to lodges, or or-ders of purely religious, charitable or benevolent description, paving exclusively sick, funeral or death benefits to members, their family or dependents, and not operated with a view to profit, nor shall any such organization be required to make any report under this or any other sections of the Insurance laws, and provided further that no society lodge or body of any secret or fraternal so ciety, or association of employees of any par-ticular trade, firm or corporation, organized in this State paying only sick benefits not exceeding \$250 in the aggregate to any one per son in any one year, or a funeral benefit to these dependent on a member not exceeding three hundred and fifty dollars, shall be required to make any report thereof under this Article, or under any other Article of the Insurance Laws, provided further that certificates issued by the improved and independent orders. B'nai B'rith may be made payable to a charitable institution as now provided in its By-Laws

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That all Acts and parts of Acts inconsistent with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency, and that this Act shall take effect from and after the date of its passage. Approved April 6, 1891. FRANK BROWN, Governor

JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate JAMES H. PRESTON. Speaker of the House of Delegates. We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session,

J. ROGER McSHERRY. Secretary of the Senate. B. L. SMITH. Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

SECTION 1. And be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That section 40 of Article 17, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Clerks of Court" sub-title "Clerk of the Court of Appeals" be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read Section 40. The Clerk of the Court of Ap

peals shall have the custody of all the records and papers in the office of the late Court of Appeals of the former Court of Appeals and of the General Court, he shall receive a salary of \$3,000 per annum for which sum to be paid out of the Treasury, the Comptroller of the State shall draw his warrant; that said Clerk may appoint subject to the approval of the Judges of the Court of Appeals such deputy clerks as the require-ments of this office shall necessitate who shall perform such duties as shall be prescribed by the said Judges and Clerks, and shall receive such salaries as the said Judges and Clerk may determined to be just and proper pensation for their services, to be paid in the same manner as is hereinbefore provided for the payment of the salary of the said Clerk of the Court of Appeals, the said Clerk of the Court of Appeals shall render an account as now prescribed by law of all fees, emoluments and receipts of his said office and shall pay the same to the Treasurer of the State as no required by law. The Clerk of the Court of Appeals shall provide his office with such records, books, dockets etc., as may be suitable and necessary and the sum of Eighteen hundred dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to pay for the same and such other necessary office expenses as he may incur. The record of causes pending in said Court shall be printed under the direction of said Clerk and the briefs of Counsel may be printed in like man-ner or may be printed by said Counsel at their option, and in every case the actual cost of the printing of said record and briefs at currant rates and no more shall be taxed in said causes as the cost of making copies of said

records and briefs, he shall give certified copies under the seal of said Court of all papers and records of which he shall have custody as aforesaid and such copy shall be evidence in the same manner as other certifled copies of record are. Src. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage Approved April 6, 1891. FRANK BROWN, Governor, JOHN WALTER SMITH. President of the Senate JAMES H. PRESTON.

Speaker of the House of Delegates. We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, J. ROGER McSHERRY, Secretary of the Senate.

B. L. SMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

CHAPTER 299.

AN ACT TO REPEAL AND RE-ENACT WITH AMENDMENTS SECTION 8, OF ARTICLE 51, OF THE CODE OF PUB-LIC GENERAL LAWS OF MARYLAND, TITLE "JURIES," AS AMENDED BY THE ACT OF 1809, CHAPTER 533. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 8, o Article 51, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Juries" as the same was repealed and re-enacted by the Act of eighteen hundred and ninety, Chapter 533, be and the

same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as

to read as follows: SECTION 2. When said list of names selected as directed in the preceding section is made and certified as therein provided for immediately thereupon the said Judges of th said respective courts in the presence of the members of the bar as aforesaid and such other persons as may think proper to be present shall cause all the names selected and placed on the list as aforesaid to be legible written upon ballots which shall be of equa size and of the same color and appearance and shall be closely rolled or folded and in each of the counties except Baltimore, Frederick, Montgomery and Carroll counties, placed by the said Judges with their own hands immediately before the drawings herein provided for into a cubiform box with sliding top of the square of eight inches to be procured for that purpose by the clerk of sald court under the direction of the said Judges, and after so depositing said ballots the said box shall be closed and the said Judges shall then cause the clerk or one of his depu ties whom the said Judges shall designate neither the one nor the other who may be so required to act to be present at the writing, rolling or folding and depositing said ballots into the box as herein directed, to appear before then and then and there in the presence of thosaid Judges and such other persons as may choose to be present after well and thorough ly shaking said box so that the ballots be well mixed to draw from said box through such opening made by removing the sliding top thereof as will only conveniently admit the hand and without in any manner looking into said box, one by one, forty-eight of said ballots and the names appearing on said ballots as drawn shall be duly recorded by said Judges or by the clerk in their presence and under their direction in the order in which they shall be drawn, and in Baltimore county a box shall be procured as aforesaid, of the form aforesaid and of sufficient size and said box shall be divided into thirteen compartments which shall be numbered to correspond with the district of the said county, and the names of the persons selected as aforesaid shall be placed by the said judges in the said compartments of the said box respectively, which bear the numbers of the districts where the persons so selected respectively re-

PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS. manner hereinbefore provided for the other counties, five names from compartments number one, three from number two, five

from number three, three from number four. two from number five, three from number six, three from number seven, five from number eight, six from number nine, two from number ten, three from number eleven, six from number twelve, two from number thirteen, and in Frederick county a box of the form aforesaid shall be procured as aforesaid and of convenient size, and said box shall be divided into as many compartments as there may be election districts in said county which shall be numbered to correspond with the districts of the said Freder ick county, and the names of the persons selected as aforesaid shall be placed by the said Judges in the said compartment of the said box respectively, which bear the num-bers of the districts where the persons so selected respectively reside, and it shall be the duty of the Judges of the Circuit Court for Frederick county when selecting the panel of two hundred persons as provided for in the preceding section of this article to select wenty of said names from election district number two and the remaining one hundred and eighty names from the remaining election districts of said county equally and there shall then be drawn in manner hereinbefore provided for the other counties, two names from each

of the compartments aforesaid, excephe compartment representing the second election district of said county, and after two names shall have been drawn from each of he other compartments aforesaid, then the remaining number of names necessary to make up the full number of forty-eight as aforesaid shall be drawn from the compartnents representing the said second election listrict, provided that in drawing the jurors for the December term of the Circuit Court for said county the twenty-five names re uired shall be taken from those remaining n the box after the drawing for the preceding september term, five to be drawn from the ompartments number two and one from each the other compartments, and no name which may be so drawn to serve as jurors in Frederiek county at any term of court shall be replaced in said box for the period of two years thereafter and in Montgomery county a box of the form aforesaid shall be procured s aforesaid and of convenient size, and said box shall be divided into as many compartments as there may be election districts in

said county, which shall be numbered to cor-respond with the election districts in said ounty and the names of the persons selected s aforesaid shall be placed by the said adges in the said compartments of the said ox respectively which bear the numbers of lection districts where the persons so selected espectively reside, and there shall then be Irawn in the manner hereinbefore provided for the other counties, three names from compartments number one, three from num-ber two, four from number three, six from number four, four from number five, three from number six, three from number seven four from number eight, four from number nine, three from number ten, three from number eleven, three from number twelve and five from number thirteen and in Carroll county, a box of the form aforesaid shall be ocured as aforesaid and of convenient size ind said box shall be divided into as many empartments as there may be election dis ricts in said county which shall be numbered respectively to correspond with the election districts in said county, and the names of the persons selected as Mon-wid shall be placed rsons selected as More and shall be placed the said judges in the said compartments of the said box respectively which bear the numbers of the districts where persons so selected respectively reside, and it shall be the duty of the Judges of the Circuit for Carroll count when selecting the panel of two hundred regions as provided for in the proceding seusons as provided for in the preceding section of this article to select sixteen of said names from election district number one, ixteen from the second election district welve from the third election district, nine

een from the fourth election district, twenty-AN ACT TO REPEAL SECTION 40 OF AR-TICLE 17 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS TITLE "CLERKS OF GENERAL LAWS TITLE "CLERKS OF from the seventh election district, thirteen COURT," SUB-TITLE "CLERK OF THE from the eighth election district, eight from COURT OF APPEALS" AND TO RE-ENACT THE SAME WITH AMEND.

MENTS.

SECTION 1. And be it engeted by the General. thirteenth district, and there shall then be drawn in the manner hereinbefore provided for the other counties four names from compartments number one, four from number two, three from number three, four from number four, five from number five five om number six, nine from number seven three from number eight; two from number nine, two from number ten, three from num ber eleven, two from number twelve and two from number thirteen provided, that in drawing the Jurors for the February term of the Circuit Court for said county the twentyfive names required shall be taken from those remaining in the box after the drawing for the preceding November term, two to be drawn from compartment number one, two from number two, two from number three two from number four, two from number five three from number six, four from number seven, two from number eight, one from number nine, one from number ten, two from number eleven, one from number tweive, and one from number thirteen, if from any cause the number of names remaining in said compartments after the drawing of the November erm of said court be less than one hundred in the aggregate, then in that event the Judge or Judges of said court shall before the drawing for the February term of said court, place in said compartment in proper proper-tion a sufficient number of names as aforesaid to make the aggregate number one hundred, and the said names so drawn in Balitmore, Frederick, Monigomery and Carroll counties shall be recorded as hereinbefore directed for the other counties and thereupon the said Judges shall forthwith order a venive facias directed to the Sheriffs of said counties respectively commanding them to summon as Jurors to attend at the next ensuing term of said courts the several person whose names may be drawn as aforesaid is any such persons whose names are so drawing and embraced in said venive facias should be dead, sick or otherwise unable to attend or should be absent and therefore not be found. it shall be the duty of said sperin forthwith to return the fact of such death disability or alsence and the said Judges shall thereupon cause to be drawn from said bex in the man ner hereinbefore directed other names in the place and stead of the original who may be dead, disabled or absent and shall cause the

> last aforesaid drawn to be inserted in the said venive facias to be summoned as afor said and it shall be the duty of the sheriff t s union the person named in said venive facias and make return thereof to the said court at the opening of its session; this section shall not apply to Prince George's county nor to Dorehester, Wicomico, or other counties a to which special provision is made by the local law thereof, Section 2. And be it enacted. That this Ac shall take effect from the date of its passage Approved April 6, 1891. FRANK BROWN, Governor, JOHN WALTER SMITH,

name or names of such person or persons so

President of the Senate.
JAMES H. PRESTON. Speaker of the House of Delegates. We hereby certify That the aforegoing is a correct copy of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January session,

J. ROGER McSHERRY, Secretary of the Senate. B. L. SMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

AN ACT TO AMEND ARTICLE 27 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS TI-LE "CRIMES AND PUNISHMEN'S,"
SUB-TITLE, "HEALTH, WORKSHOPS
AND FACTORIES," BY ADDING
THERETO FOUR ADDITIONAL SEC-TIONS TO FOLLOW SECTIONS 149, TO BE NUMBERED SE TIONS 149 A, 119 B, 149 C AND 149 D RESPECTIVELY AND TO BE PRECEDED BY THE HEADING "SWEATING SYSTEM." Section 1. Be it enacted by the Genera Assembly of Maryland, That Article No. 27 of the Code of Public General Laws, title 'Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Health Workshops and Factories," be and the sam hereby is amended by the addition thereto o the following four sections, to follow Section 119, to be numbered Sections 149 A, 149 B 149 C and 149 D respectively, and to be preceded by the heading, "Sweating System."
"Section 149 A. If any individual or body orporate engage in the manufacture or sale of clothing or of any other article whereby disease may be transmitted, shall knowingly by purchase, contract or otherwise directly, or indirectly cause or permit any garment or such other articles as aforesaid to be manufactured or made up in whole or in part or any work to be done thereupon within this State and in place or under circumstances involving danger to the public health, the said individual or corporation upon conviction in any court of competent jurisdiction, shall be

fined not less than ten dollars or more than one hundred dollars for each garment or other articles so, as lastly aforesaid, manufactured, made up or worked upon."
"Section 149 B. If any individual or the officer of any corporation shall so as aforesaid cause or permit any garment or other articles in the next preceding section men-floned to be manufactured, made up or worked upon in a place or under circum. stances involving danger to the public health with the knowledge that it will or may be thus dealt with, he shall upon conviction in any court of competent jurisdiction, be imprisoned not less than sixty days or more than one year, and may be further fined not exceeding one thousand dollars in the discretion of the court.

PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS. "Section 149 C. Any room or apartment which shall not contain at least 400 cubic feet

of clear space for each person habitually laboring in or occupying the same, or where-in the thermometer shall habitually stand, during the hours of labor at or above 80 degrees Fahrenheit, before the first day of May or after the first day of October of any year, or wherein any person suffering from a contagious, infectious or otherwise dangerous disease or malady, shall sleep, labor or remain, or wherein, if of less superficial area than 500 square feet, any artificial light shall be habitually used between the hours of 8 A. M. and 4 P. M. or from which the delay. M. and 4 P. M., or from which the debris of manufacture and all other dirt or rubbish shall not be removed at least once in every twenty-four hours, or which shall be pro-nounced ill-ventilated or otherwise unhealthy by any officer or board having legal authority o to do, shall be doemed a place involving danger to the public health as mentioned in

the next two preceding sections of this ar-"Section 149 D. If any association or soelety, whether incorporated or un-incorporated, shall furnish through its officers or agents, evidence sufficient to secure the conviction of any person criminally prosecuted under the three next preceding sections of this article, the said association or society shall receive one-half of any fine which may be imposed upon such person so convicted with its assistance, such fines to be paid to the treasurer or other officer with corresponding owers of the said society or association. SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its

Approved April 6, 1894. FRANK BROWN, Governor. JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate JAMES H. PRESTON. Speaker of the House of Delegates. We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assem-

bly of Maryland, passed January Session, J. ROGER McSHERRY, Secretary of the Senate. B. L. SMITH. Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

CHAPTER 309. AN ACT TO REPEAL SECTION 17 OF ARTICLE 36 OF THE PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS OF MARYLAND, ENTITLED "FEES OF OFFICERS," SUB-TITLE "CORONERS AND CORONERS' IN-QUESTS," AND TO RE-ENACT THE SAME WITH AMENDMENTS. SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 17 of Article 36 of the public General Laws of Mary-land, entitled "Fees of Officers," sub-title "Coroners and Coroner's Inquests," be and

the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows: 17. Each juror who may serve on a coroner's inquest shall be entitled to one dollar; and the constable who may be directed by any coroner or justice to summon such a jury or the coroner, except in Baltimor City, if the ary be summoned by him, shall be entitled to lifteen conts for each jury summoned, to be paid as above directed.

Section. 2. And be i' enreted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its Approved April 6, 1894. FRANK BROWN, Governor.

JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate JAMES H. PRESTON, Speaker of the House of Delogates We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General As-sembly of Maryland, passed January Session,

J. ROGER MeSHERRY, Secretary of the Senate, B. L. LMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

NACT TO REPEAL SECTIONS 176, 177 AND 178 OF ARTICLE 27 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIG GENERAL LAWS, TITLE "CRIMES AND PUNISHMENTS, TITE "LOTTERIES." AND TO RE-EN-ACT THE SAME WITH AMENDMENTS SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sections 176 177 and 173 of Article 27 of the Code of Pub lie General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Lotteries," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows: Section 176. If any person shall keep any house, office or other place for the purpose of selling or bartering any lottery ticket, policy certificate or any other thing by which the vendor or other person promises or guarantees that any particular number, character ticket or certificate shall in any event, or on the happening of any contingency in the nature of a lottery, entitle the purchaser or holder to receive money, property or evidence of debt he shall be subject to indictment and upon conviction he shall in the discretion of the court, be fined a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars or imprisonment for a period not exceeding one year, or he may be both fined and imprisoned. e both fined and imprisor SEC. 177. The owner of any house or office who shall permit the same to be used as a place for selling lottery tickets or any of the hings in the nature thereof mentioned in the ment and upon conviction shall be, in the discretion of the court, fined a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, or shall be imprisoned for a period not exceeding one year

or shall be both fined and imprisoned; any person who shall know that his house or office is used for such purpose shall be considered as Sec. 168. If any person shall bring into this State any lottery ticket, policy, certifi-cate or anything by which the vender or other person promises or guarantees that any iffeate shall in any event, and upon the happening of any contingency in the nature of a lottery, entitle the purchaser or holder to ceive money, property or evidence of debt, or if any person shall have in his possession in this State any book, list, slip or record of the numbers drawn in any lottery, whether in this State or elsewhere, or any book, list, slip or record of any lottery of mentioned in this Section, or if any money received or to be received from, or for the sale of any such lottery ticket, or thing in the nature thereof as aforesaid, shall be liable to indictment and upon conviction shall be, in the discretion of the court, fined any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars or shall be imprisoned for a period not exceed. ing one year, or shall be both fined and imprisoned, provided, however, that this Section shall not apply to any person who may have possession of any of the articles

herein mentioned for the purpose of procuring or furnishing evidence of violations of 1 any of the provisions of law relating to lot-SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That nothing in this Act contained shall apply to or effect any criminal or civil proceeding actually pending at the date of the passage of this Act.

Approved April 6, 1894. FRANK BROWN, Governor JOHN WALTER SMITH. JAMES H. PRESTON, Speaker of the House of Delegates We hereby certify that the aforegoing is correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1994.

J. ROGER McSHERRY. Secretary of the Senate, B. L. LMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates

AN ACT TO REPEAL AND RE-ENACT WITH AMENDMENTS, SECTION 111 OF ARTICLE 27 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GE ERAL LAWS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, TITLE "CRIMES AND PUNISHMEN'S," SUP-TITLE "FRAUD RY MORTICAGES OF TITLE "FRAUD BY MORTGAGES OF PER ON L PROPERTY," AND RE-LATING TO THE FRAUDULENT, RE-ING, DESTROYING OR SELLING OF ORTGAGED PERSONAL PROPERT ERSONAL PROPERTY LEVIED ON BY THE JUDGEMENT DEBTOR OF PE SONAL PROTERTY TURCHASED UNDER AN UNRECORDED CONDIT-ONAL WRITTEN CONTRACT BY THE PURCHASER.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 111 of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Fraud by Mortgages of Personal property," be and the same is hereby repeated and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

12. Any married woman, having arrived at the age of eighteen years, may convey her real or personal property, if her husband joins in the conveyance, whether the conveyance be absolute or by way of mortgage, and since be absolute or by way of mortgage, and since be absolute or by way of mortgage, and since be absolute or by way of mortgage, and since be absolute or by way of mortgage, and since be absolute or by way of mortgage, and since be absolute or by way of mortgage, and since be absolute or by way of mortgage, and since be absolute or by way of mortgage, and since be absolute or by way of mortgage, and since be absolute or by way of mortgage. 3. Any mortgager of personal property in possession of the same, or any purchaser of personal property under an unrecorded conlitional written contract in possession of the

said property, or any execution debtor in pos-session of personal property levied on and taken in execution, who in the case of mortraged personal property without the consent of the mortgagee or his assigns, first had and obtained in writing or who in the case of the purchaser of personal property, under an un-recorded conditional written contract without he consent first had and obtained in writing of the conditional vendor in said contract or his assigns, or who in the case of personal property levied on and taken into execution, without the consent of the execution creditor, without the consent of the execution recaller, his assigns or lawfully authorized agents, first had and obtained in writing, and with intent to defraud the mortgages or his assigns and to defeat his or their lien under said mortgage, or with intent to defraud the PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS.

sald conditional vender of personal property in an unrecorded conditional written conract, or his assigns, or with intent to defraud e execution creditor or his assigns, and deeat his or their lien under said execution, shall remove any of the personal property, so mortgaged, or purchased under said un-recorded conditional written contract, or levied on and taken in execution as aforesaid, as the case may be, beyond the limits of city or county where it was located when so mortgaged or purchased under said un-recorded conditional written contract, or levied on and taken in execution, or who with intent as aforesaid removes, socrets, hypothecates, destroys or sells the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and on addetinent therefor, and conviction thereof, shall be imprisoned in the city or county fail not more than six months, or shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars or ooth in the discretion of the court; but nothing herein contained shall be construed to relieve the sheriff or other officer holding sald execution from his responsibility to the execution creditor for the safe keeping of any personal property by him levied on and taken in execution as aforesaid. Approved April 6, 1891.

FRANK BROWN, Governor.
JOHN WALTER SMITH,
President of the Senate.
JAMES H. PRESTON, Speaker of the House of Delegates We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assem-bly of Maryland, passed January Session

J. ROGER McSHERRY. Secretary of the Senate. B. L. SMITH. Chief Clerk of the House of Delogates,

CHAPTER 317. AN ACT TO AMEND ARTICLE 109 OF THE ODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWSOF MARYLAND, TITLE "WORK, HOURS OF IN FACTORIES," BY ADD ING THESETO A SECTION TO BE KNOWN ASSECTION 4, RESULATING TOE EMPLOYMENT OF CHILDREN UNDER TWELVE YEARS OF AGE IN MILLS AND FACTORIES. MILL: AND FACTORIES IN THIS

Section, 1. Beitenacted by the General

Assembly of Marylan , That Article 100 of the Code of Public General Laws of Mary-land, be amended by adding thereto the following section to come in immediately after section 3 of said Article and to be known as section four. Section 4. No proprietor or owner of any mill or factory in this State other than establishments for manufacturing canned goods or manager, agent, foreman or other person in charge thereof, shall after the first day of October, in the year Eighteen hundred and ninetyfour, employ, or retain in employment in any such mill or factory any person or persons inder twelve years of age, and if any such proprietor or owner of any such mill or facory, or manager, agent foreman or other erson in charge thereof, shall wilfully violate the provisions of this section he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and on con-viction thereof shall be fined not less than one undred dollars for each and every offense so committed and pay the costs of prosecution, one-half of the line to go to the informer and the other half to the school fund of the county or city in which the offense shall have been committed, provided, that nothing in this Act shall apply to Frederick, Washington, Queen Anne, Carroll, Wicomies, Carolino, Kent, Somerset, Ceell, Calvert, St. Mary's,

Prince George's, Howard, Bultimore, Wor-cester and Harford Counties. SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shail take effect from the date of its passage. Approved April 6, 1891. JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate.

JAMES H. PRESTON, Speaker of the House of Delegate We hereby certify that the aforegoing is correct copy of an Act of the General Assem-bly of Maryland, passed January Session J. ROGER MCSHERRY. Secretary of the Senate. B. L. SMITH.

Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates. AN ACT TO REPEAL SECTIONS 93 AND 99 OF ARTICLE 23 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS, ENTITLED ORPORATIONS," sub-title LUILD-ING OR HOMESTEAD ASSOCIA-TIONS," AND TO RE-ENA T THE SAME WITH AMENDMENTS. SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sections 98 and 9) of Article 23 of the Code of Public General

Laws; be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows: 93. Such Corporation at any time in advance of the period of time at which it may cease to exist, according to the plan contained in the original Articles of Association, may advance to any member thereof, for such premium as may be agreed upon, the sum which he would be entitled to receive upon the dissolution of the corporation, or the maturity of the series to which he belongs, when said Corporation has more than one series of stock, for any number of shares therein held, or may purchase from any member thereo the share or shares of stock held by him a such price or sum as according to the Articles of Association, such member may agree to receive; or instead of receiving the whole amount of said premium (in advance or deducting the whole amount of said premium) from the amount of said advance, the rower may pay the same in weekly, monthly or such other instalments as may be agreed upon, and on payment of said sum of money nay receive from such member security as mentioned in the next succeeding section of this Article for the pay of such member to such Corporation of the unpaid instalments and unpaid premiums, to be paid on the share or shares of stock so sold or redeemed, together with interest at the rate of six per cent, per annum on the sum so paid, or vanced at such times and subject to such fines and penalties for the non-payment thereof, as may be prescribed in the Articles or the Association or in the By-Laws, and such Corporation shall have power to issue full paid up shares of stock to its members upon such erms as may be set-forth in its By-Laws. 93. The payment of the unpaid instalments and the premium on the share or shares so purchased or redeemed with interest on the money paid therefor as aforesaid, and all fines and penalties incurred in respect thereof by any member shall be secured to such hold property, or by the hypothecation of stock of such Corporation held by such member, as may be prosuch member, as may be revided in the Articles of Association

Corporations by mortgage on real or lease-By-Laws; but in case of hypothecation of stock no greater sum of money shall at any time be drawn out by any member than shall have been already paid in by him on all his shares at the time of such hypothecation any such mortgage and the mortgage debt created thereby, and the shares of stock of any such Corporation, and of all corporation for the loan of money or mortgage of real or leasehold property, are declared to be exempt from taxation to the extent of the investments of such Corporation in such mortgages the property so mortgaged to the Corporation member or mortgage.
Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act

shall take effect from the date of its passage. Approved April 6, 1891. FRANK BROWN, Governor JOHN WALTER SMITH, JAMES H. PRESTON. Speaker of the House of Delegates. We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session

J. ROGER McSHERRY Secretary of the Senate. B. L. SMITH. Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

AN ACT TO REPEAL AND RE-ENACT WITH AMENDMENTS, SECTION 12, OF ARTICLE 45 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS, TITLE "HUSBAND AND WIFE." Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 12 of Article 15 of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Husband and Wife" be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

mortgage or bill of sale or other instrument of writing in the same manner as other grantors or bargainors, without any private exam-ination or other ceremony, and she may, if whatever age she may be, relinquish h dower in any real estate by the joint deed of herself and husband, or by her separate deed. Sic. 2. And be it enacted. That this Act shall take effect from the date or its passage. Approved April 6, 1894. FRANK BROWN, Governor

JOHN WALTER SMITH. President of the Senate.
JAMES H. PRESTON. Speaker of the House of Delegates. We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session 1894.

J. ROGER MCSHERRY, B. L. BMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS. CHAPTER 929. N ACT TO ADD TWO SECTIONS TO ARTICLE 7 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS OF MARYLAND TITLE "BANKS" TO BE DESIGNATED AS SECTION 7 A AND 7 B. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That two additional ections designated as Sections 7 A and 7 B; added to Article 11, of the Code of Publi eneral Laws of Maryland, title "Banks" to ollow after Section seven, and to read as lows: 7 A. In the month of October in the year

1895, and in every second year thereafter, the Treasurer of every Savings Bank or Savings Institutions in the State of Maryland, shall deliver to the Comptroller a written statement, sworn to by him or by the President of such Savings Bank containing the name and amount standing to his or her credit of every epositor who shall not have made any de it therein, or withdrawn any money upon their accounts for the period of twenty years next prior to the first day of the preceding September, provided that this section shall not apply to the deposit made by any person known to the said Treasurer to be living. The Comptroller shall communicate the state ents which shall be so delivered to him to the General Assembly in his next report. 7 B. Any Treasurer of any Savings Bank In the State of Maryland, who shall fail or neglect to comply with the provisions of the preceding section, shall be subject to a fine of Five hundred dollars for each failure or neglect, to be recovered by indictment in the Circuit Court for the County where the said Savings Bank may be located, or in the Criminal Court of Baltimore City, as the case nay be. Src. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage;

Approved April 6, 1894. FRANK BROWN, Governor. JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate. JAMES H. PRESTON, Speaker of the House of Delegates We hereby certify. That the aforegoing i correct copy of an act of the General Assen bly of Maryland, passed January session 1894,

J. ROGER McSHERRY. Secretary of the Senate. B. L. SMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates. CHAPTER 333.

N ACT TO REFEAL SECTIONS 1, 6. AND 31 OF ARTICLE 56 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS OF MARYLAND, TITLE "LICENSES, SUE-TITLE "M DE OF ISSUING GEN ERAL PROVISIONS," SUE-TITLE "HAWKERS AND PEDLERS," AND TO RE-ENACT THE SAME WITH AMEND-

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sections 1, 6, 28 and 34 of Article 56 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland title "Licenses" sub-title "Mode of Issuing, General Pro-visions," sub-title "Hawkers and Pedlers," be and the same is hereby repealed and re enacted with amendments so as to read a

1. All licenses for selling goods and chat els shall be granted by the Clerk of the Cirmit Courts for the counties and the Clerk of cuit Courts for the counties and the Clerk of the court of Common Pleas in the City of Baltimore, except where a different mode is specially provided, and all licenses granted or issued by said clerks shall expire the first day of May what thereafter except licenses for dispute. next thereafter, except licenses for fisheries and horse racing; and if granted for part of war a ratable sum shall be charged there

6. It shall be the duty of the sheriff and constable to make diligent inquiry of all per-sons doing business in this State, and appre-hend and take before some Justice of the Peace, all persons found doing business with out a license, to be committed or held to bail for appearance at the succeeding term of the Circuit Court for the county, or Criminal Court of Baltimore to answer the charge of selling goods without a license.
28. For every such license shall be paid one hundred and fifty dollars; with two horses or other beasts of burden and wagon or other vehicle; the sum of two hundred

31. For every apprehension and convic-tion of a Hawker or Pedler, the sheriff, con-stable or any other person apprehending shall be entitled to receive the sum of ten dollars to be recovered as part of the costs. Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this Actshall ake effect from the date of its passage. Approved April 6, 1891.

FRANK BROWN, Governor-JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate. JAMES H. PRESTON, Speaker of the House of Delegates. We hereby certify that the aforegoing is orrect copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session.

J. ROGER McSHERRY, Secretary of the Senate, B. L. LMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

AN ACT TO REPEAL SECTION 17 OF ARTICLE 55, OF THE PUBLIC GEN ERAL LAWS OF MARYLAND, TITLE "LICENSES" SUB-TITLE "BRCKERS" AND 10 ADD ADDITIONAL SECTIONS TO ARTICLE 23 OF THE LUBLIC GEN-ERAL LAWS OF MARYLAND, TITLE "CORPORATIONS," SUB-TITLE "IN-SURANCE DEPARTMENT," PROVID-ING FOR THE I-SUING OF LICENSES TO INSURANCE BROKERS, SAID SEC IONS TO FOLLOW SECTIONS 143 AND TO BE KNOWN AS SECTIONS 143 A, 143 P, 143 C, A ND 143 D. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General

Assembly of Maryland, That section 17 of Article 56 of the Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Licenses," sub-title "Brokers," be and the same is hereby reing four sections are hereby added to Article 23 of the Public General Laws of Maryland. title "Corporations," sub-title "Insurance Department," said sections to follow section 143 of said Article, and to be known as Sections 143 A, 143 B, 143 C, and 143 D. 143 A. All licenses for the purpose of conducting the occupation or business of an "Insurance Broker" shall be granted by the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Mary-

land, and all such Licenses granted by said commissioner, shall expire on the First day of May thereafter. 143 B. From and after the First day of May 1894, any person applying for the same and paying to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Maryland, the sum of One Hundred Dollars, for the use of the State, and an additional sum of one dollar as a fee to said Commissioner, for issuing such License, may obtain a License for carrying on the business of an Insurance Broker, and no License shall be issued to permit more than one person to act thereunder and if such Licenso shall be granted for a part of a year, a ratable sum shall be charged therefor.

143 C. Any person who shall use or exercise the business or occupation of an Insurance Broker, without having procured a License therefor as required by Sections 143 A, and 143 B of this Article, shall be subject to a penalty of Five Hundred Dollars, for each offense, one-half for the use of the State and the other halt to the informer 143 D. It shall be the duty of the Sheriff of the City of Baltimore and of the Sheriff of each county throughout the State to furnish to the Insurance Commissioner, prior to the first day of May in each and every year here-after, the names of all persons conducting the business of "Insurance Broker" within the respective jurisdiction of each of said

Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from and after the First day of May in the year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-four. Approved April 6, 1894. JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate.

correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, J. ROGER McSHERRY. Secretary of the Senate. B. L. SMITH. Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

JAMES H. PRESTON,

Speaker of the House of Delegate

nents so as to read as follows: Section 7. The Board of District School Trustees shall be composed of three persons who shall be appointed by the County School

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chairman to noid office for one year and shall give notice of the appointment to the Secre-tary of the Board of County School Commis-Section 64. No certificate of qualification as a teacher shall be issued to any male under nineteen years of age or to any female under eighteen years of age. See. 3. And la it enucled, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage. Approved April 6, 1894. FRANK BROWN, Governor,

JAMES H. PRESTON. Speaker of the House of Delegates We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, J. ROGER McSHERRY, Secretary of the Senate, B. L. SMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates. CHAPTER 392

JOHN WALTER SMITH,

President of the Senate

N AGE TO AMEND ARTICLE 4, OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC LOCAL LAWS, TITLE
"CITY OF BALTIMORE," SUB-TITLE
"COURTS," HEADING "SUPERIOR
COURT, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS AND BALTIMORE CITY COURT, BY ADDING THERETO A NEW SECTION TO FOLLOW SECTION 173, AND TO BE NUMBERED SECTION 173 A. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General

Assembly of Maryland, That Article 4, of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Baltimore City," sub-title "Courts," heading "Superior Court, Court of Common Pleas and Baltim City Court," be and the same is hereby amended by adding a section thereto to fol-low Section 173, thereof, to be numbered Section 173 A, and to read as follows:
173 A. Whenever the record of proceedings in any sult, action or issue pending in one of the Courts of Common. Law in the City of Raltimore shall be directed to be transferred for trial to some other such cour of the said city, in accordance with Article 4 ection 8, of the Constitution, it shall be the duty of the clerk of the court from which the said record of proceedings is so directed to be removed to immediately deliver to the clerk of the court to which the same is so directed to be removed; all the original papers in the said cause, together with a certified copy of all docket entries relating to the same, which original papers and copy of docket entrie shall constitute such record of proceeding for the purposes of such trial and it shall thereupon become the auty of the Judge of the Court to which the said suit, action o issue shall be removed immediately by spec-ial order to assign the same for trial to such day, or in sequence to such other causes as he shall consider just and proper. Approved April 6, 1894.

FRANK BROWN, Governor, JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate JAMES H. PRESTON Speaker of the House of Delegate We hereby certify that the aforegoing is correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session

J. ROGER MCSHERRY, B. L. SMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates

CHAPTER 397. AN ACT TO REPEAL SECTIONS 1, 2, 3 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 AND 11 OF ARTI LE 61 O THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS, ENTITLED "MANURES AND FERTILIZERS," AS AMENDED AND RE-EN CIED BY CHAPTER 387 OF ACTS OF 1890, AND TO RE-ENACT THI SAME WITH AMENDMENTS. Section 1. And be it enacted by the Gen eral As early of Mary'and, That Sections one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten and eleven of Article sixty-one of the Code of Public General Laws as amended

and re-enacted by Chapter 357 of Acts of 1890 be and the same are hereby repealed and reenacted to read as follows: the following rates to wit: for every license to travel on foot the sum of one hundred dollars; in this Act shall be held to mean any comto travel with a horse or other beast of bar-den and wagon or other vehicle, the sam of mixture sold, offered or exposed for sale for mixture sold, offered or exposed for sale for manural purposes, within this State, of which the selling price shall be more than ten dollars per ton of two thousand pounds That the term brand as used in this Ac be held to mean the name under which the commercial fertilizer is sold, together wit the statement of the percentage of valuable ingredients contained therein. That the professor in charge of the Chemical Department of the Maryland Agricultural College shall be State Chemist as used in this Act shall mean he Professor in charge of the Chemical

Department of the Maryland Agricultural Sec. 2. And be it enacted. That before any fertilizer is sold, offered or exposed for sale within the State the following conditions must be complied with: (1) The importer manufacturer, manipulator, dealer or agent shall take out a license for the sale of fer tilizer, which license shall be rated upon the number of brands contemplated to be sold, at the rate of fifteen dollars for each brand, said license to be prepared and furnished by the Comptroller of the Treasury and to be issued at any time, to be good until the first day of February following, provided that when any such importer, manufacturer or manipulator shall have taken out a license as herein provided, it shall not be necessary for any other person, as his agent or representative, to take out a license to sell the fertilizers provided for by the party who has taken out such license; (2) every bag, barrel, or package of fortilizer, and every parcel or lot, if sold in bulk, must bear in legible print, or be accor panied by a clear and true statement, show ing the net pounds of fertilizer in the package or lot, the name, brand or trade mark unde which the fertilizer is sold, the name and address of the importer, manufacturer or man ipulator, the place of manufacture or man pulation, and a chemical analysis, stating the percentum of the minimum, and only the minimum contained their, of nitrogen or its equivalent in available ammonia, pluble in distilled water, and of available

Section 3. And be it enacted, That any failure to comply with any or all of the con-ditions provided in section two of this act, shall be punishable by a fine of one hundred dollars (\$100) for the first offense, and of (\$2.0) for every subsequent offense. Section 4. And be it enacted, That any person, firm or company selling or offering for sale any fertilizer in this State, or Intend ing so to do, and not licensed by the Comp troller, as provided by this Act, shall on or before the thirty-first day of July, in each and with post office address, and the names of th kinds, brands and trade marks, and of the manufacturer, importer or manipulater of each fertilizer sold or proposed to be sold, to the Maryland Agricultural College, and the same shall be registered in suitable books kept for that purpose, and any failure to com-ply with the provisions of this section shall be punishable by a fine of twenty-five dollars (\$50) for every subsequent offense.

Secrios 5. And be it engeted, That it shall be the duty of the Maryland Agricultural college to analize, without cost or charge all samples of fertilizers sent to it for the purpose of being analized by any person or persons, purchasing or procuring the same in this State, for his or their use or uses; pro-vided, such persons are not interested in the analysis desired, other than a consumer, of which affidavit shall be made, and shall a company each sample or brand, and further such samples are taken and sent as describe by this Act, and free of cost of transports ion to said College, and it shall be the duty of Maryland Agricultural College to procus samples as far as practicable, in every year of all the fertilizers sold and used in this State, for the purpose of analyzing the same and any duly authorized agent or representa ive of the said College, shall have the right to take samples as proviped by the Act from any lot or parcel of fertilizer in transitu or n possession or keeping of any manufacurer, manipulator, dealer or agent, and sold on the duty of the Maryland Agricultural College to send in the result of every sample of fortilizer to the person from whom such sample was taken or received, and also to publish from time to time the results of the analysis made by the said College, of the samples sent to or procured by it for such purpose, and it shall be the duty of the Maryland Agricultural College, when report ing or publishing the result of any analysis made, to state the commercial value, in dellars and cents of the fertilizer so analyzed,

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a CHAPTER 373.

AN ACT TO REFEAL SECTION 7, AS REPEALED AND RE-ENACTED BY COllege, annually, after conference with the CHATTER 515, OF THE ACTS OF 1892,
AND SECTION 61, OF ARTICLE 77 OF
THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL
BAMS, TITLE "PUBLIC EDUCATION,"
AND TO REFNALT SAID SECTION.

Maryland Agricultural College, shall be taken LAWS, TITLE "PUBLI- EDUCATION,"
AND TO RE-ENA-T SAID SECTION
WITH AMENDMENTS.
Section 1. Be it enacter by the General
Assembly of Maryland, That Section 7, as
repealed and re-enneted by Chapter 515, of
the Acts of 1892, and Section 64, of Article 77
of the Code of Public General Laws title of the Code of Public General La s, title taken in the presence of the owner, agent or "Public Education," be and the same are dealer in possession thereof, or of his or their representatives, and when by an owner or consumer, it shall be taken in the presence of one disinterested witness; and every sample Trustees shall be composed of three persons who shall be appointed by the County School Commissioners on the first day of May, or at their first meeting thereafter, in each year, and who shall meet within thirty days after their appointment, and enter upon the duties assigned them in Chapter 5, of this article. At their first meeting they shall appoint a constant of the bag or packages sampled, and these portions shall be thoroughly mixed in a clean PUBLIC & ENERAL LAWS.

dry place, and a suitable sample shall be taken from said mixture and placed in a with identifying labels, both and without the vessel or then taken ultable within vessels. or sent by safe carriage to the said col loge for analysis; and there shall accompany every such sample a full and complete state-ment and description of the place and time of ampling, of the lot of fertilizer sampled, of all marks on the bags or packages thereof and other facts relating to the same, and such statement and description shall be signed y the person who does the sampling and by

he witness thereto. SEO. 7. And be it enacted, That the funds received by the comptroller from the licenses issued under this Act shall be paid into the freasury and be set apart as a specific fund to pay the cost and expenses of conducting the analysis provided for in Section 5 of this Act; and the Treasurer shall semi-annually pay over to the Maryland Agricultural Colege the money received from said licenses provided that the amount shall not be more han at the rate of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for each sample of fertilizer analyzed by the said

Section 8. And be it enacted, That any purchaser of fertilizer who shall be injured or defrauded by the contents of the bag, barrel or other packages not conforming in quantity and quality to the marks, labels or statements on or accompanying the same, may recover from the seller or sellers thereof, in an action of debt, an amount equal to an purchase money of said fertilizer and cost of suit, and in case the purchase is made of an agent of any person or persons residing out of the limits of the State of Maryland, or company or corporation, whose principle place of business is out of the State manufacuring, compounding, proparing and fur-nishing for sale any such commercial fertilizer, the purchaser thereof, may, at his or her option, proceed, by attachment, as now provided for by law, in cases of non-resident and absconding debtors, against any property rights or credit of any person, persons, pany or corporation selling, manufacturing preparing, compounding or furnishing said fertilizer, when such property, rights or credits can be found within the limits of the

State of Maryland. Sec. 9. And beit enacted, That any manufacturer, dealer, agent or other person or persons who shall adulterate, add to or take mything from any fertilizer sold or offered or sale within this State, or who shall use the brand or trade-mark of any manufac turer or dealer other than his own shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall upon conviction thereof, in any court having jurisdiction, be punished by a fine not exceeding two hundred dollars (\$200) and imprisonment in jail not exceeding six months or by both fine and imprisonment, at the dis-cretion of the court before whom he shall be

Sec. 10. And be it enacted, That this Ac shall not effect parties importing, manufacturing or manipulating fertilizer for their own ure, if not sold or disposed of, and i shall not apply to substances and materials old in bulk to manufactures or manipulators of fertilizer, and nothing in this Act shall prevent the buyer and seller from making contracts in reference to the price to be paid dependent upon the composition or quality of the fertilizer contracted for, but no arrangement or agreement, verbal or written nade by or between any seller and buyer of fertilizers in this State, for the purpose o exonorating the seller or manufacturer from liability for any violation of any of the provisions of this Act, shall exempt any person from such Hability. Sec. 11. And be it enacted, That it shall b the duty of all state attorneys to prosecute all persons decused of violating this act or any I the provisions of this Act or of the Act to which this is a supplement. Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this act

shall take effect on the first day of May in the year eighteen hundred and ninty-four. Approved April 6, 1891. FRANK BROWN, Governor. JOHN WALTER SMITH, JAMES H. PRESTON. Speaker of the House of Delegates.
We hereby certify that the aforegoing is n correct copy of an Act of the General Assem-bly of Maryland, passed January Session, J. ROGER McSHERRY, Secretary of the Senate. B. L. SMITH.

Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates. CHAPTER 402. AN ACT TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL SEC-TION TO ARTICLE 27, OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS, TITLE "CRIMES AND PUNISHMENTS," SUB-TITLE "SENTENCE," TO BE DESIG-NATED SECTION 301 A. shall be punished by imprisonment in jai Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That an additional section to be designated Section 304 A, be and he same is hereby added to Article 27 of the

Code of Public General Laws, title "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Sentence", to follow Section 301, and to read as follows: 301A. In any case in which a person is convicted, before any court, of larceny or false protences, or any other offence not capital, and no previous conviction is proved against him, if it appears to the court before whom he is so convicted, that regard being had to the youth, character and antecedents of the offender to the nature of the offence, and to any extenuating circumstances under which the offence was committed, it is expedien that the offender by released on probation of good conduct, the court may, instead of sen tencing him at once to any punishment direct that he be released on his entering into a recognizance, with or without sureties; and during such period as the court may direct to appear and receive judgment when called upon, and in the meantime to keep the peace and be of good behavior; and the court may, if it thinks fit, direct that the offender shall pay the costs of the prosecution, or some portion of the same within such in such installments as may be directed by the court; and at any time within such period but not afterwards the court may, upon being satisfied by information on oath that the offender has failed to observe any of the conditions of his recognizance, issue process for his apprehension, and thereupon without any further proceedings, impose sentence upon him.

Approved April 6, 1891. FRANK BROWN, Governor JOHN WALTER SMITH, JAMES H. PRESTON. Speaker of the House of Delegates.

1894.

We hereby certify that the aforegoing is correct copy of an Act of the General As-sembly of Maryland, passed January Session, Secretary of the Senate, B. L. LMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

AN ACT TO REPEAL ARTICLE 99, SEC-TION 13, PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS, TITLE "BIRDS AND GAME," AND TO RE-ENACT THE SAME WITH AMEND-

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Article 99, Sec-tion 13. Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Birds and Game," be and is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as 13. No person shall shoot or in any man-ner catch, kill or have in possession any partridge between the twenty-fourth day o December and the first day of November next

ensuing in each and every year; nor any woodcock, between the twenty-fourth day of December and the fifteenth day of June; nor of December and the fifteenth day of August nor any rabbit between the twenty-fourth day of December and the first day of November; nor shall any person destroy or molest the eggs or nests of any of the aforesaid birds at any time, but this act shall not apply to any ounty of this State now subject to a loca law or laws governing the catching, killing, or the having in possession of partridges woodcock, pheasants or rabbits, or regula-ting the destruction or molestation of the eggs or nests of any of the aforesaid birds. Approved April 6, 1891. FRANK BROWN, Governor,

JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate JAMES H. PRESTON, Speaker of the House of Delegates. We hereby certify That the aforegoing in a correct copy of an act of the General Assem bly of Maryland, passed January session, 1894,

J. ROGER McSHERRY, Secretary of the Scante, B. L. SMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates. CHAPTER 405.

AN ACT TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL SEC-TION TO ARTICLE 93, OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS OF MARY-LAND, TO COME IN AFTER SECION 326, AND TO BE KNOWN AS SECTION 326 A. SECTION 1. Be it envelot by the Genera Assembly of Maryland, 'That an additiona Section be added to Article 93, of the Code of Public General Laws, to come in after Section 326, and to be known as Section 326 A and to read as follows: SECTION 326 A. No will, testament, codicil or other testamentary paper shall be subject to caveat or other objection to its validity after the expiration of three years from its

Section 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its Approved April 6, 1894.

FRANK BROWN, GOTEROF.

FUBLIC GENERAL LAWS.

JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate
JAMES H. PRESTON, Speaker of the House of Delegate We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session,

J. ROGER MeSHERRY, Secretary of the Senate, B. L. LMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates

CHAPTER 412 AN ACT TO REPEAL AND RE-ENACT WITH AMENDMENTS, SECTION 2 OF ARTICLE 68 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS OF MARYLAND, ENTITLED "NO-TARIES PUBLIC."

SECTION 1. Re it enacted, by the General As-embly of Mar land, That Section 2, of Arti-cle 63 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland; entitled "Notaries Public" be an ie same is hereby repealed and re-enacted to end as follows: Each Notary Public shall, within thirty ays from the time of his appointment, give the bond prescribed in Section 24 of Article 35 of the Code of Public General Laws, and each County of the State shall be entitled; plication, to at least two Notaries Public, to e appointed as aforesaid by the Governor, and in case of an appointment, on application; during recess of the legislature, the Governor shall submit said appointment to the Senate for confirmation or rejection as in case of ppointments to fill vacancies during recess f the legislature:

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, that this net shall take effect from the date of its pas-Approved April 6, 1894.

FRANK BROWN, Governor. JOHN WALTER SMITH, President of the Senate. JAMES H. PRESTON. Speaker of the House of Delegates. We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assem

oly of Maryland, passed January Session. J. ROGER McSHERRY, Secretary of the Senate.
B. L. SMITH. Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

CHAPMER 418. N ACT TO REPEAL AND RE-ENACT WITH AMENDMENTS. SECTION 84 "A" AND 84 "B" OF ARTICLE 27 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS OF MARY= LAND "TITLE CRIMES AND PUNISH= MENTS, SUB-TITLE, "FALSE PRE-TENCES, RELATING TO FRAUDS AND FALSE PRETENCES, UPON HOTEM AND LIVERY STABLE KEEPERS AS ENACTED BY THE ACT OF 1892 CHAP-

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Genera Assembly of Maryland, That Section 84 'A' and Section 84 "B" of Article 27 of the ode of Public General Laws of Maryland Tile "Crimes and Punishments" sub-title "Fais retences as enacted by the Act of 1892 hapter 42" are hereby repealed and re-enacted to read as follows: 84 A. If any person with intent to cheat or defraud shall by any falso or fraudulent representations or by any falso show of baggago goods or chattels which are calculated to deceive any hotel proprietor. keeper or manager, obtain lodging or credit or the use of any horse or vehicle or fold and tabling for a horse or horses in any hotel in this State, or from the keeper of any livery stable, and shall subsequently refuse, declind or fail to pay for his credit, board or lodging or use of horse or food and stabling for horse furnished him, the person so offending shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on convic-

ion, be sentenced to pay a fine, not exceeding

one hundred dollars or undergo an imprisous ment in jail for a term not exceeding three ouths or both, or citlier at the discretion of he Court. 84 B.-Every person who shall at any hotel. receive or cause to be furnished any food or ecommodation, for man or beast with intent to defraud the owner, keeper, or proprietor or manager of any hotel, or owner or keeper of any livery stable out of the value or price of who shall obtain credit at any hotel or livery stable by the use of any false pretence or device or by depositing at such hotel any baggagd or other chattel or value of less than the amount of such credit or of the bill by such person incured with such fraudulent intent; and any person, who after obtaining an accommodation, for man or beast, at any hotel or livery stable, shall abscond from such lioel, or livery stable, and shall surreptitionaly remove his baggage or property therefrom without discharging the door so aforesaid in curred, shall upon conviction be adjudged guilty of a misdemention and upon conviction

for a term not longer than three months or by a fine of not more than One littldred dollars or both or either at the discretion of the

Approved April 6, 1894. FRANK BROWN, Governor, JOHN WALTER SMITH, JAMES II. PRESTON,

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

We hereby cartify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General As-

sembly of Maryland, passed January Bession, J. ROGER MCSHERRY, Secretary of the Benate, B. L. LMITH, Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

N ACT TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL SECTION TO ARTICLE 93 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC GENERAL LAWS OF MARY-LAND, TITLE "IESTAMENTARY LAW," SUE-TITLE "WILLS," TO FOLLOW SECTION 316 AND TO BE DESIGNATED

SECTION 316 A. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the following Section be and the same is hereby added to Article 93 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Testa:nentary Law," sub-title "Wills," to follow Section 316, to be designated Section 316 A and to read as follows 316 A. In all Wills hereafter executed the real estate of every testator not specifically devised shall be chargeable with the paymen of pecuniary legacies wherever the personal estate after the payment of debts shall prove to be insufficient unless the contrary inten-

tion shall clearly appea Approved April 6, 1894. FRANK BROWN, Governor. JOHN WALTER'SMITH, President of the Senate. JAMES H. PRESTON, Speaker of the House of Delegates.
We hereby certify that the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session,

J. ROGER McSHERRY, Secretary of the Senate. B. L. SMITH. Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.

ANACT TO APPROPRIATE A SUM OF MONEY TO PROVIDE FOR THE IN-DEXING OF CERTAIN VOLUMES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE PREROGATIVE COURT OF THE PROVINCE OF MARYLAND, AND ADMINISTRATION ACCOUNTS, INVENTORIES AND BALANCE BOOK, AND FOR THE RE ARRANGEMENT OF ORIGINAL WILLS OF EARLY SETT! ERS OF MARY-TION AGAINST DESTRUCTION BY FIRE. WHEREAS THERE ARE AT THIS TIME IN THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTER OF WILLS OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, FORMERLY BE-LONGING TO THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSARY GENERAL OF THE PROVINCE OF MARYLAND, FORTY-SEVEN VOLUMES OF THE PROCEED-O THE SAID (ROVINCE: ALSO 76 VOLUMES OF ADMINISTRATORS' AC COUNTS, 126 VOLU E OF INVEN-TORIES AND 6 V-LUJIES OF FINAL DISTRIBUTION ON BALANCE BOOKS FROM ALL THE COUNTIES OF THE STATE IN EXISTENCE PRIOR TO THE WAR OF THE REVOLUTION, CONTAIN-ING VALUABLE HISTOPICAG MATTER NOW INACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLI FOR THE REASON THAT A LARGE PROPORTION OF SAID VOLUMES ARE WITHOU, INDEXES, AND WHEREAS ALSO THERE ARE ON THE IN THE SAID REGITER OF WILLS OFFICE AT THIS TIME 15,060 ORIGINAL WILLS OF THE EARLY & ETTLERS OF THE PROVINCE OF MARYLAND, COVERING THE PERIOD FRO + 1635 TO 1777 A. D. ALSO OF GREAT HISTORICAL INTER EST BUT WHICH FOR LACK OF SUITA-BLE APPLIANCES FOR THEIR AR-BANGEMENT AND EXAMINATION ARE ALSO VIRTUALLY INACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC; AND BECAUSE OF THE FIAMSY AND CONBUSTIBLE CHARACTER OF THE ROOM WHERE THEY ARE STORED ARE IN GREAT D NOER OF DESTRUCTION BY THEE, THEREFORE SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Register of Wills of Anne Arundel County and the Governer of the State be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to have indexed in proper books to be purchased by them for that purpose the aforesaid 17 volumes of the proceedings of the Prerogative Court of the Province of Maryland, seventy-four volumes of the administration accounts, one hundred and twenty-six volumes of Inven-

tories and six volumes of Distribution or Balance Books and to arrange in patent file