

provide in like manner from time to time according to need for the codification and publication of a Code of Public Local Laws of the State, but may have the same printed collectively or separately for the several counties in such paper binding as he may deem for the best interest and advantageous of the people of the State.

Sec. 9. Be it further enacted, That immediately upon the completion of the Code of Public General Laws in the year 1910 and decennially thereafter the same shall be submitted by the State Reporter and Codifier to a Commission to be appointed by the Court of Appeals of Maryland, and after examination if a majority thereof shall so determine, shall certify the said code to be authentic and upon said certification the same shall be received in all the courts of this State and in other States as evidence of the law of the State of Maryland.

“Sec. 10. And be it further enacted, That after the publication of such Code or Codes the same shall be placed in the possession of the State Librarian, and shall be sold by said Librarian at a price to be computed from the gross expense of the publication of said Code or Codes for cash; and the said Librarian shall report to the Comptroller and Treasurer of the State monthly, giving the number of Codes sold by him during the preceding month and such sums of money as he may have received from the sale of Codes, and the number of volumes of said Codes still in his possession.

“Sec. 11. Be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.”

Which amendment was adopted; bill read the second time and ordered engrossed for a third reading.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Mr. Greenwell from Select Committee, reported favorably.

Senate bill, File No. 410, entitled “An Act for the