

And be it further Enacted that the Penalties in this Act mentioned shall be recovered by and in the name of the Commissioners of the said Town to be by them ordered to the Publick Use and Benefit of the said Town.

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[Penalties,
how to be
recovered]

And be it further Enacted that the Justices of Baltimore County aforesaid in Court Sitting shall and they are hereby required at every November Court yearly and every year during the continuance of this Act to nominate and appoint one of the Inhabitants of the Town of Baltimore aforesaid being a Freeholder within the said Town to be Clerk of the said Market for the year then next ensuing whose Power and Authority as Clerk shall continue untill the last day of November Court Succeeding Such nomination and appointment.

[Justices to
nominate the
Clerk at
November
Court
yearly]
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And be it further enacted that the Clerk of the said Market to be appointed shall have Sufficient Power and Authority to take Care and Charge of the Market and Market House aforesaid to inspect the provisions brought thereto for Sale and if any shall be found unsound or unwholesome to destroy the Same and also to try and adjust the Weights and Measures used at the said Market by Standards to be provided and kept there by the Commissioners of the Said Town for that purpose and the same when false or untrue to Seize and dispose of at the next Publick Market day to the highest bidder and the money arising from Such Sale to appropriate to the Use of the said Town.

[Clerk to
take Charge
of the Mar-
ket, and in-
spect Provi-
sions &c.]

And be it further Enacted that the said Clerk so nominated and appointed as aforesaid shall have full Power to rent or hire out as well the Stalls and Shambles in the said Market House as the Rooms and appartments over the same and a fair and just Account of the Proffits arising from such Rents and also of all Such fines and Penalties he shall receive by Virtue of this Act; he the said Clerk is hereby directed to keep and apply the same from time to time to the Use and Benefit of the said Town according to the orders or directions of the Commissioners thereof for the time being for all which Services the said Clerk shall be allowed of the Publick Money belonging to the said Town at the discretion of the said Commissioners not exceeding the sum of thirty Pounds per annum.

[Clerk en-
abled to rent
the Stalls
&c]

Provided always and be it enacted that before any Clerk to be nominated and appointed as aforesaid Shall enter upon his Office he shall be obliged to take an Oath before some Justice of the Peace for Baltimore County justly Truly and impartially to performe the Several duties required of him by this Act and the Several Oaths to the Government appointed by Law and Subscribe the oath of Abjuration and repeat and Sign the Test

[Clerk to
take the
Oath of
office]

And whereas the Time by this Act prescribed and appointed for the Choice of the said Clerk is already elapsed, and the Inhabitants