

more, in the proportions to be borne by the city and county as aforesaid, respectively, shall be levied by said commissioners and the mayor and city council of Baltimore, respectively, as aforesaid; and the said clerk, out of the moneys so to be levied, shall be paid quarterly, the amount that shall become due to him on account of the making of said index; the voucher of which dues, shall be the certificate of the said chief judge, and his direction for payment of the same.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of said clerk of Baltimore county court, for the time being, henceforth, to keep up promptly and regularly as conveyances or writings of or relating to land, shall by said clerk be received to be recorded, a general alphabetical index, in terms and form as the index herein before referred to, the records of all such conveyances or writings as shall henceforth be so received to be recorded as aforesaid; and that each book of said index, shall embrace the period of at least ten years for every or any letter to which such book may be appropriated; and that for his services in keeping such record, the said clerk shall be entitled to have the sum of ten cents for each of such conveyances or writings recorded by him, in addition to the amount now chargeable for recording such conveyance or writing.

Duty of clerk in future.

Compensation.

A SUPPLEMENT to the ACT, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, chapter eighty-six, entitled, an Act to authorize the making a general Alphabetical Index of the Land Records of Baltimore County, from the year seventeen hundred and ninety-nine inclusive, and to keep up such Index henceforth.—1833, ch. 74.

*Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That for the services required to be performed by the fourth section of the act to which this is a supplement, the clerk of Baltimore county court shall be entitled to have and receive the sum of twenty cents for each of the conveyances or writings in said section mentioned, in addition to the amount chargeable for recording such conveyance or writing, and in place of the compensation of ten cents provided by said section for said services.

Compensation increased.

A further SUPPLEMENT to the ACT, entitled, an Act to authorize the making a general Alphabetical Index of the Land Records of Baltimore County, from the year seventeen hundred and ninety-nine inclusive, and to keep up such Index henceforth.—1834, ch. 72.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the commissioners of Baltimore county, and the mayor and city council of Baltimore, respectively be, and they are hereby authorized and required to levy and collect, yearly in advance, their respective portions of the amount which may be reported as the probable amount of the expense of the index,

Levy in advance.