

any law or ordinance within said city, or may hereafter be established by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore.

5. He shall be vested with the same powers in regard to the care of said wharves, or such part thereof as may be under his care and direction, and the regulating of vessels and persons resorting to and using them, and the collection of wharfage, as any harbor master or other officer within the city of Baltimore.

6. He shall deposit monthly, in such banks as the Treasurer shall designate, to the credit of the Treasurer, four-fifth part of the amount of all moneys which he shall collect from time to time for wharfage, retaining one-fifth as a compensation for collecting the same.

7. He shall, on the first day of May and November in each year, render upon oath to the Treasurer, an account of all moneys collected by him for wharfage during the preceding half year.

8. He shall take care of, and preserve from injury, all wharves placed under his direction belonging to, or rented by, or for the State, and shall have all necessary control of the same for that purpose.

9. He may collect all wharfage accruing to the State in the name of the State of Maryland before any justice of the peace of said city.

10. He shall demand and collect for wharfage on all vessels lying at or opposite to any of the public wharves in said city, a tonnage duty of one cent per ton burthen for the first tier, two-thirds of a cent per ton for the second tier, and half a cent per ton for all vessels beyond the second tier, for each day or part of a day they shall so lie or remain; and if any vessel laden with wood shall so lie without landing any part of her cargo, no duty other than the tonnage duty above specified shall in that case be demanded by the State Wharfinger.

11. Whenever wood shall be landed on the wharves belonging to the State, the wood inspector measuring the same shall forthwith report to the State Wharfinger the number of cords so landed, with the name of the vessel from which the same was landed. Whenever lumber shall be landed on said wharves, the