

583. The said warden shall, before he enters upon the duties of his office, give bond to the State with at least two securities to be approved by the visitors, in the penalty of ten thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duty as warden, and for the safe keeping of all such persons as shall be committed by legal authority to the jail of Baltimore city; which bond shall be filed and recorded in the Criminal Court of Baltimore.

584. He shall also take and subscribe an oath that he will duly and faithfully execute the duties and trusts, and exercise the powers committed to and vested in him as warden of the jail of Baltimore city.

585. The visitors shall prescribe the number and duties of the assistants who may be necessary to be employed by said warden, but the warden shall have the appointment and removal of such assistants, subject to the approval of the visitors.

586. All commitments of prisoners to the jail of Baltimore city shall be directed to the warden of said jail, whose duty it shall be to receive the prisoners from the officers having them in charge.

587. He shall conduct all prisoners in his custody to and from the courts, when the said courts shall direct him to do so.

588. He shall account with the visitors for all sums of money which he may collect as jail fees for prisoners confined in the jail, or from any other source connected with the institution.

589. The visitors shall allow such compensation to the warden and his assistants as they may think reasonable and proper.

590. They may at their will and pleasure remove said warden from office and appoint another in his stead.

591. They shall annually make out and lay before the mayor and city councils, a full statement of all the public money received by them from the register of the said city, or from any other source, and the manner in which it has been expended, with an estimate of what will be necessary for the following year, which estimate shall be levied on the property in said city and paid to the visitors.