In force.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted. That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved February 21, 1872.

CHAPTER 45.

AN ACT to repeal sections one hundred and fiftyone, one hundred and fifty-two, one hundred and fifty-three, and one hundred and fifty-four, of article four, of the Code of Public Local Laws, relating to Coroners and Inquests, in the City of Baltimore, and to substitute therefor the following:

Repealed.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That sections one hundred and fiftyone, one hundred and fifty-two, one hundred and fifty-three, and one hundred and fifty-four, of article four, of the Code of Public Local Laws, relating to Coroners and Inquests, in the City of Baltimore, be and the same are hereby repealed, and the following enacted as a substitute therefor:

SEC. 151. The Governor, by and with the advice Appointment Sec. 151. The Governor, by and with the advice of Coroners, and consent of the Senate, shall appoint and commission four competent persons, to act as Coroners for the City of Baltimore, to hold office during the period of two years, at an annual salary of four hundred dollars each, payable quarterly, by the Register

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of said city, provided, that before entering upon the duties of their office, the persons appointed coroners shall take the oath of office prescribed by the Constitution of the State of Maryland, for office holders; and further shall give bond to the State of Maryland, with security, to be approved by the Judge of the Superior Court, for Baltimore city, in the penalty of two thousand dollars each, conditioned for the faith-

ful performance of their duties, as now prescribed by

law, or which shall hereafter be prescribed.

Bond.