

salary not less than four hundred (\$400) dollars per annum; and all such teachers holding a first-class teacher's certificate and having taught in any of the public schools of the State of Maryland for a period of five years shall receive as salary not less than four hundred and fifty (\$450) dollars per annum; and all such teachers holding a first-class teachers' certificate and having taught in any of the public schools of the State of Maryland for a period of eight years shall receive as salary not less than five hundred (\$500) dollars per annum; and all teachers employed in the public schools of Wicomico county holding a second-class certificate and having taught in any of the public schools of the State of Maryland for a period of five years, shall receive as salary not less than four hundred (\$400) dollars per annum.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That at their annual levy term in 1912, and at each annual levy term thereafter, the County Commissioners of Wicomico County shall levy an amount which the Board of County School Commissioners of Wicomico County shall estimate and fix as sufficient to pay the salaries of said teachers; and it is hereby made the duty of the Board of County School Commissioners of said Wicomico County to ascertain and furnish to the said County Commissioners before the beginning of said levy the necessary amount to enable them to ascertain the required amount to be levied for such purpose, which said amount so levied shall be promptly paid over to said Board of County School Commissioners by the county treasurer, so as to be available for said salaries when the same are due.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 8, 1912.

CHAPTER 365.

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 1 of the Code of Public General Laws, "Edition of 1904," entitled "Rules of Interpretation," to follow section 2 and to be known as section 2A relating to the construction and effect of the repeal of any statute, including the repeal of any part of the Code of Public General Laws or the Code of Public Local Laws.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That a new section be and the same is hereby added to