

36.

Employees with communicable diseases are prohibited in laundries—see art. 54A, sec. 4.

44. Repealed by ch. 360 of the Acts of 1929.

45.

Cited but not construed in *Gordon v. Montgomery County*, 164 Md. 213.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 46. 1912, sec. 34. 1904, sec. 23. 1888, sec. 10. 1886, ch. 22, sec. 3. 1902, chs. 475, 515. 1916, ch. 245. 1931, ch. 160.

46. Such local boards of health shall each appoint in the month of May, 1931, and quadrennially thereafter, a health officer, who shall be a well educated physician and who by virtue of his appointment shall be secretary and executive officer of the local board of health, and in the event of vacancy, a successor for the unexpired term shall be appointed by the local board of health, as soon as practicable. No such appointment shall be made without the advice and consent of the State Board of Health. The health officer shall hold office for four years from the date of appointment, but may be removed by the State Board of Health for cause upon charges made and considered at a regular meeting of said board. And it shall be the duty of every county health officer, district health officer, or local health officer, immediately after his appointment to appear before the State Board of Health or its accredited representative, and to make oath that he will well and truly discharge the duties of his office; provided that this section be not so construed as to prevent local boards of health from appointing such additional health officers or sanitary officers as they may deem necessary, or as may now or hereafter be allowed by law.

Cited but not construed in *Gordon v. Montgomery County*, 164 Md. 213.

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An. Code, 1924, sec. 51. 1922, ch. 483. 1927, ch. 502.

51. The local board of health of each county may, whenever they shall deem it necessary or desirable, require that any qualified physician appointed by such board as county health officer shall be trained in sanitary science, public health and hygiene and shall not, so long as he shall hold that office, engage in any other occupation which would conflict with the performance of his duties as health officer. He shall have all the powers and duties which are now or may hereafter be conferred upon county health officers by law; he shall enforce all the public health statutes and rules and regulations of the State Board of Health or the local board of health, under the direct supervision and control of the local board of health, and shall perform such other duties and exercise such other duties and exercise such other functions as the local board of health shall direct. The local board of health may make and enter into a contract with such county health offi-