

surety or sureties to be approved by the treasurer of the State, conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties imposed on him by law and for the full and punctual report at the end of each quarter of the receipts and disbursements of the State tobacco warehouses in the city of Baltimore under his charge, which bond shall be recorded in the office of the clerk of the superior court of Baltimore city, and the said chief inspector shall, so soon as he shall have bonded and qualified as required by law, take charge of all the tobacco warehouses in Baltimore city, except No. 2 warehouse, and all the tobacco, books, furniture, appurtenances and effects belonging to the same, and shall receipt to his predecessor in office for the same, and upon the appointment and qualification of his successor shall deliver the same to said successor and take a similar receipt; he shall personally or by deputy inspectors or their assistant deputies, in this sub-title provided for, inspect all tobacco in said warehouses; but said chief inspector, the deputies, assistant deputies or other persons appointed to or employed in said tobacco warehouses shall not be engaged in the purchase or sale of tobacco (except that they may sell tobacco of their own raising), nor shall it be lawful for any person thus appointed or employed in the warehouses to receive any gift or emolument whatever, either directly or indirectly, for any favor rendered in the line of his duty, other than his regular salary or wages, and any person violating the provisions of this section shall be immediately dismissed from office or service. Each of the deputy inspectors before entering on the duties of his office shall give bond to the chief inspector with a surety or sureties to be approved by said chief inspector in the sum of ten thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties; and the said chief inspector in his discretion may exact a bond from the persons who directly receive and handle the moneys collected on account of the business of said warehouses. The deputy inspectors shall be subject to removal for cause by the chief inspector, with the approval of the governor, and the said deputy inspector shall have authority to dismiss any assistant or employes in said warehouses whenever in his judgment it shall seem for the good of the service for which they are respectively employed; and the deputy inspectors shall be responsible to the chief inspector for the faithful performance of the duties of all employes under them, respectively; and any neglect of duty on the part of any employe shall be cause for his immediate removal by the deputy inspectors in their respective warehouses.