

be authorized to expend such additional sum or sums as may be necessary, not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00), per annum, to cover stenographic and other expenses.

(n) **TALBOT COUNTY.** In Talbot County each member of said Board shall receive as compensation a salary of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per year and, in addition thereto, the Chairman of said Board shall receive a salary of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00) per year.

(o) **WASHINGTON COUNTY.** In Washington County each member of the Board shall be entitled to receive an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) payable monthly from the license fees derived from the issuance of license fees authorized by this Article. No member or employee of the Board shall have any pecuniary or other interest in any phase of the manufacture, sale or distribution of any alcoholic beverages.

139. REMOVALS. (a) **BOARDS APPOINTED BY GOVERNOR.** The Governor may remove any member of any Board of License Commissioners appointed by him under the provisions of this Article, for misconduct in office, incompetency or wilful neglect of duty, giving him a copy of the charges against him and an opportunity of being publicly heard in person, or by counsel, in his own defense, upon not less than ten days' notice. If any member shall be removed, the Governor shall file in the office of the Secretary of State, a statement of the charges made against such member and his findings thereon.

(b) **BOARDS APPOINTED BY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.** The Board of County Commissioners may remove any member of any Board of License Commissioners appointed by them, for the causes in this section prescribed.

(c) **SELF-CONTINUING BOARD.** The Board of County Commissioners of Allegany County may remove any member of a self-continuing board, for the reasons prescribed hereinabove in this section, and after having given such member a copy of the charges against him and an opportunity to be heard thereon. Any member of the Board aggrieved by such action of the County Commissioners may appeal therefrom, agreeably to the provisions of Section 152 of this Article.

140. ADMINISTRATION. (a) **CAROLINE COUNTY.** In Caroline County the County Commissioners shall designate and fix the first Tuesday in each calendar month, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 1 o'clock P. M., when they shall sit as the Board of License Commissioners for the hearing of