

able monthly by the County Commissioners, and in addition thereto the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) per annum as an expense account, payable monthly by the County Commissioners, and he shall receive no other fee or compensation whatsoever for any services in connection with his duties as said Clerk. That the term of office of the Clerk of the said Police Court shall be for two years, to begin contemporaneously with that of the Police Justice in the year 1927; and the County Commissioners shall biennially appoint thereafter a Clerk of the Police Court. That said Clerk before entering upon his duties shall execute a bond similar to that required of the Police Justice in the penalty of five thousand dollars (\$5000), and for the same use and purpose. That said Clerk shall be present with the said Police Justice and shall attend the sittings of his Court during the session thereof, and shall have charge of all the records, dockets and papers of said Court, and he shall have power and authority to administer oaths in all matters that appertain to his Court, he shall keep and transcribe the records of said Court, and shall issue all writs of said Court in the name of the Police Justice, and shall have power to accept such cash collateral and deposit of sureties for the appearance of any defendant, to appear before the said Police Justice for hearing or trial, and shall issue all witness certificates, and shall receive all fines, penalties and forfeitures imposed or collected by virtue of any writ issued out of said Police Court. That said Clerk shall pay over to the County Commissioners of Prince George's County all fees, civil and criminal, so collected by him monthly on the first Tuesday of each and every month, together with a detailed and itemized report, setting forth the items so collected by him, which said report shall be as specific as that required of the Police Justice; that said Clerk shall have the general authority to do any and all things in connection with his duties as the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Prince George's County is possessed of, and he shall have the same duties and responsibilities as the Clerk of the Circuit Court for said County in so far as the same are applicable. He shall be removed from office for incompetency, wilful neglect of duty or misdemeanor in office in a Court of law, or by the County Commissioners, for any one or more of said causes, if charges are preferred and proved to the satisfaction of the County Commissioners or a majority thereof, and in case of vacancy, they are hereby authorized to appoint his successor to fill out the unexpired term, ratably