148. They shall have authority to remove any clerk, any treasurer or bailiff, for neglect of duty, incompetency, or any Authority to other cause which in their judgment may seem right, and shall supply any such vacancy for the balance of the term. They may, in their discretion, direct all male persons who are qualified electors of said town, between the age of 21 years and 50 years, to work for one day upon the public streets of said town, or to pay to the town bailiff the sum of seventy-five cents for the use of the town. Any person who shall neglect or refuse to promptly pay the above sum or to work one day on said streets when directed by the commissioners shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon trial and conviction shall be fined not less than five dollars.

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161. The County Commissioners, on the first day of May of each year, shall pay to the Commissioners of East New Market money to be paid. the sum of fifty dollars, for the purpose of assisting in the construction of wells and maintaining the streets and other public improvements within the corporate limits.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 8, 1902.

CHAPTER 373.

AN ACT to add a new Section to Article one of the Code of 'Public Local Laws, title "Allegany County," sub-title "Cumberland," to follow Section ninety-six, to be known as Section ninety-six A.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a new section be and the same is hereby added to Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Allegany County," sub-title "Cumberland," to follow section ninety-six, to be designated as section ninety-six A, and to read as follows:

New section

Section 96 A. That all persons or corporations owning buildings in the city of Cumberland more than three stories high, and which are used for public meetings or places of amusement, or in which people assemble for lodge or other meetings, shall provide said buildings with fire escapes from every story of said building or buildings within sixty days after this Act takes effect; any person, persons or corporation who shall fail to comply with this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than \$50.00 nor more than \$100.00. It shall be the duty of the judge or judges of the Circuit Court of Allegany

Fire escapes provided.