

in substantial books, comprehensive indexes to all proceedings in his office affecting titles to land by way of Commissioners under various Acts of Assembly, and by way of condemnations or writs of inquisition, and by way of sales of land under writs of execution or otherwise, and to record in substantial books all proceedings of his office, whether at law or in chancery, affecting titles to land and proper to be recorded, but which have not heretofore been recorded by former clerks whose duty it was to record the same.

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Empowered
and directed
to prepare
indexes of
records, etc.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the County Commissioners of Harford county be and they are hereby empowered and directed as soon as said indexes and records have been completed and the approval thereof certified to them by one of the judges of the Circuit Court for Harford County, to pay to said clerk the cost thereof, according to the rates fixed by law or heretofore paid for similar work performed by said clerk.

Clerk to be
paid cost of
indexing,
etc.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 13, 1906.

CHAPTER 53.

AN ACT making appropriation for the payment of the expenses of the Joint Special Committee of the General Assembly of Maryland, which Joint Special Committee was appointed under and by virtue of Joint Resolution No. 1, of the General Assembly of Maryland, of the Session of 1906, and providing for the mode and manner of disbursing said appropriation.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated to pay the miscellaneous expenses of the Joint Special Committee of the General Assembly of Maryland, appointed by and under the authority of Joint Resolution No. 1, passed by the General Assembly of Maryland of 1906, and the payment of the per diem of clerks, sergeant-at-arms and other employes of said committee.

Sum of money
appropriated