

all offenses committed in said District cognizable by a Justice of the Peace and to regulate his duties and fix his salary.

WHEREAS, There is to be established by the Government of the United States a Military Camp in the Fourth Election District of Anne Arundel County, Maryland; and

WHEREAS, This Camp will bring to this section of the County many persons, and it is deemed best that the administration of the criminal law cognizable by a Justice of the Peace should be in the hands of a bonded officer receiving a fixed salary; therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That it shall be the duty of the Governor, after the passage of this Act, to appoint an additional Justice of the Peace for the Fourth Election District of Anne Arundel County, who shall be a resident of said district, to be designated as Police Justice of said district, who shall hold office until the first day of May, nineteen hundred and eighteen; and the Governor shall at the same time that he appoints other Justices of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in the year nineteen hundred and eighteen, and every two years thereafter, appoint a Police Justice for said Fourth Election District of Anne Arundel County, to serve for a term of two years, from said May the first, nineteen hundred and eighteen. Said Justice of the Peace, designated as said Police Justice, before he acts as such, shall give bond to the State of Maryland in the penalty of one thousand dollars, with surety or sureties to be approved by the County Commissioners of said County, conditional that he will well and faithfully execute the duties and obligations of Justice of the Peace and that he will account for and pay over to the County Commissioners all fines, penalties, forfeitures and costs, imposed by him and which he shall receive, for or on account of criminal offenses tried before him, which bond shall be recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court, and shall be liable at the suit of the State for the use of the County Commissioners, in case of default in any of its conditions.