

of Ten Thousand Dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties as town clerk, which bond shall be paid for by the Council, and further conditioned that he will well and truly account and be liable for any and all money coming into his possession as town clerk, or for which he shall be secured by a fidelity or surety company qualified to act as security or guarantor under the laws of Maryland; and the same shall be approved by the Council or a majority of them, and when signed and approved shall be delivered by them to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for record; and upon his failure to give bond within thirty days after his confirmation, the Mayor shall, with the approval of said Council, appoint another person to act as town clerk as aforesaid; and in case of vacancy in said office from any cause, the Mayor shall fill the same for the balance of the term; and any person so appointed shall take the oath and give the bond herein required, and perform all the duties of the said office. The said town clerk is hereby empowered to administer an oath or affirmation to any person presenting a claim or account against the Mayor and Council, but shall not be allowed any fee for same.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on and after June 1, 1918.

Approved April 10th, 1918.

CHAPTER 63.

AN ACT to add one new section to Article 15 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Kent County," sub-title "Chestertown," the said new section to follow immediately after Section 65A, and to be designated as Section 65B, so as to read as follows, and to authorize the legal and qualified voters of Chestertown to vote upon the same.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That one new section be added to Article 15 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Kent County," sub-title "Chestertown," to follow immediately after Section 65A and be designated Section 65B, and to read as follows:

65B. That the Commissioners of Chestertown may levy on the assessable property of Chestertown such sum of money as they may deem necessary, not exceeding twenty cents on