

CHAPTER 113.

AN ACT to amend the twenty-third section of the thirty-eighth Article of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to the Bonds of Notaries Public. Passed Feb. 12, 1862.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the twenty-third section of the thirty-eighth Article of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to the Bonds of Notaries Public, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following enacted as a substitute therefor : Repealed.

23. Every Notary Public, before he shall be commissioned or authorized to discharge the duties of his office, shall give bond to the State of Maryland, with security to be approved by the Governor, in the penalty of six thousand dollars, if appointed for the city of Baltimore, and in the penalty of two thousand dollars, if appointed for any county, conditioned for the payment into the Treasury of that portion of the notarial fees received by him, for the use of the State ; and if any person appointed a Notary Public, shall neglect or refuse to give such bond within thirty days from the date of his appointment, the Governor shall appoint some other person in his place. Bonds of Notaries Public.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage. In force