

erection of said hospital, and the further sums of \$1,500.00 for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1917, and \$1,500.00 for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1918, for the maintenance and support of the same.

Approved April 18th, 1916.

CHAPTER 629.

AN ACT to add six new Sections to Article 81 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Revenue and Taxes," to follow Section 247 and to be known as Sections 248, 249, 250, 251, 252 and 253, providing for the appointment of assessors throughout the Counties of the State, their duties and compensation; providing for a uniform plan of assessment throughout the Counties of the State, the duties of the County Commissioners and the State Tax Commission, in regard thereto.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That six new Sections be and they are hereby added to Article 81 of the code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Revenue and Taxes," to follow Section 247, and to be known as Sections 248, 249, 250, 251, 252 and 253, and to read as follows:

248. The local supervisor of assessments provided for under the Act of 1914, Chapter 841, shall, in addition to his present duties act as chief assessor in his particular County, with such additional duties as the State Tax Commission shall determine and designate; at such time as shall be ordered by the State Tax Commission, each of the several Boards of County Commissioners in the State of Maryland shall appoint such number of County assessors as shall be ordered by the State Tax Commission; and for incompetency or any other cause, the State Tax Commission shall have the authority and power to dismiss and discharge any of such County assessors and require the County Commissioners of any of the several Counties as the case may be, to appoint a competent individual to fill the vacancy, or the said State Tax Commission in its discretion shall have the authority and power to fill said vacancy with a competent individual; and to appoint such other assessors as said Commission may consider necessary; the rate of compensation of the County and additional assessors provided for in this Act shall