

tend his examination beyond the principal office or building, he shall be paid in addition therefor in each case fees at the above rates, except in such cases where further examination is made in the same town or city, when he shall be paid a per diem fee of not more than \$15.00; when such institutions require a special or unusual examination by the Bank Commissioner, he may be paid a per diem fee of not more than \$20.00; he may also be paid a fee of \$5.00 where it is necessary for him to count securities beyond the principal office or building. The Bank Commissioner shall collect the amounts named from the institution examined and pay the same to the State Treasurer, and he shall draw, on proper orders, from the State Treasury, the amounts necessary for the salaries and other expenses of his office.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That Section 20 of Article 11 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, title "Banks and Trust Companies," sub-title "Banks," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, so as to read as follows:

20. Any number of persons, not less than five, citizens of the United States and a majority of them citizens of this State, may associate to establish a bank under this Article upon the terms and conditions and subject to the liabilities prescribed herein. The aggregate amount of capital stock for any bank shall not be less than twenty-five thousand dollars in towns or villages having less than fifteen hundred inhabitants, and shall not be less than thirty-five thousand dollars in towns, villages or cities having more than fifteen hundred and less than thirty-five hundred inhabitants, and shall not be less than forty thousand dollars in towns or cities having more than thirty-five hundred and less than five thousand inhabitants, and shall not be less than forty-five thousand dollars in any city having more than five thousand and less than ten thousand inhabitants, and shall not be less than sixty-five thousand dollars in any city having more than ten thousand inhabitants and less than fifty thousand inhabitants; and shall not be less than one hundred thousand dollars in any city having more than fifty thousand inhabitants and less than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and shall not be less than two hundred thousand dollars in any city having more than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants; and may start business when one-half of the capital provided for in this section shall