

paid to said clerk by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, the said Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall make compensation to said stenographer for all testimony taken and transcribed by him at any coroner's inquest or inquests, and when requested by the State's Attorney for the use of his office, at a rate not exceeding fifteen cents per hundred words of such testimony.

Approved April 9, 1924.

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#### CHAPTER 429.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sub-section Sixth of Section 23 of Article 11 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, title "Banks and Trust Companies," sub-title "Banks," as said sub-section was amended by Chapter 33 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1918.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Sub-section Sixth of Section 23 of Article 11 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, title "Banks and Trust Companies," sub-title "Banks," as said sub-section was amended by Chapter 33 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1918, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, so as to read as follows:

23. Sub-section Sixth. To exercise, by its directors, duly authorized officers or agents, all such powers as shall be usual in carrying on the business of banking; by buying, discounting and negotiating promissory notes, bonds, drafts, bills of exchange, foreign and domestic, and other evidences of debt; by receiving deposits of money upon which interest may be paid; by buying and selling coin and bullion; by buying and selling exchange, foreign and domestic; by accepting for payment at a future date, drafts or bills of exchange drawn upon it, having not more than six months to run, which grow out of transactions involving the importation or exportation of goods, or which grow out of transactions involving the domestic shipment of goods, provided shipping documents conveying or securing title are attached at the time of acceptance, or which are secured at the time of acceptance, by a warehouse receipt or other such documents conveying or securing title covering readily marketable staples; by accepting drafts or bills of exchange drawn upon it having not more than three months' sight to run, by banks or bankers in foreign countries or dependen-