known as the New Annexation Act, became an officer of police, policeman, detective, clerk or turnkey of the City of Baltimore, shall, for the purposes of sharing or participating in the Special Fund of the Police Department of Baltimore City, provided for by the sub-title of this Article, be entitled to and receive full credit for the number of years and/or months and/or days he shall have been employed as aforesaid by the County of Baltimore or County of Anne Arundel, as the case may be; provided, however, that he shall first contribute and pay into the Special Fund, if he shall have been employed by Baltimore County or Anne Arundel County as the case may be, prior to 1900, a sum equivalent to two per centum on the salary paid to him since the year 1900 and up to the date when he became a member of the Police Force of Baltimore City, or if he shall have been employed by either of said counties, subsequently to the year 1900, a sum equivalent to two per centum on the salary paid to him since the date of his employment and up to the date when he became a member of the Police Force of Baltimore City; provided further, that he shall, if he has not already done so, pay into the Special Fund two per centum of the salary paid to him, since the date when he became a member of the Police Force of Baltimore City and up to the date, when he makes the payment if he does so. herein provided for; and provided further, that he shall have, in all other respects, complied with the requirements of the Act creating the Special Fund and providing for its expendi-The Police Commissioner is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to allow the credit provided for in this section upon the fulfillment of the conditions herein provided.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted. That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1924.

Approved April 9, 1924.

CHAPTER 146.

An Act to add a new section to Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (Revised Edition of 1915), title "City of Baltimore," sub-title "Police Commissioner," said new section to be known as Section 745½ and to follow immediately after Section 745¼ of said Article, providing that members of the Police Force of Anne Arundel and Baltimore Counties who became members of the Police