

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That two new sections be and they are hereby added to Article 5 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Calvert County," sub-title "Circuit Court," said new sections to be known as Sections 72A and 72B, to follow immediately after Section 72 of said Article, and to read as follows:

72A. The judges of the Circuit Court for Calvert County be and they are hereby authorized and directed to appoint an official court reporter for said court, who shall be an expert stenographer, shall be a sworn officer of said court, shall hold office during the pleasure of the judges of said court, and shall be paid a per diem to be fixed by the court, not to exceed \$12.00 for each and every day of actual service, payable by the County Treasurer of said county as a part of the court expenses, upon the presentation of the certificate of the clerk or any of the judges of said court, showing the attendance and services of said reporter.

72B. Said reporter shall attend and take full stenographic notes of all oral testimony and judicial opinions in all proceedings in said court at such times and in such cases as the court may direct. And said reporter shall make and furnish to any party, upon request, a typewritten transcript of any part of said notes, on payment by such party of the expense of such transcript at a rate not exceeding twenty cents for every hundred words.

The court may, in any equity case pending in said court, direct such reporter to transcribe the notes taken with respect to such case, and the cost thereof at the rate aforesaid shall be taxed as a part of the cost in such case.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1931.

Approved April 6, 1931.

CHAPTER 48.

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1929 Supplement), title "Elections," sub-title "Registration," said new section to be known as Section 28B and to follow immediately after Section 28A