

said section authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to make appropriations to certain reformatory institutions.

WHEREAS, Section 613 of the Baltimore City Charter (1938 Edition), authorizes the City of Baltimore to make appropriations to numerous reformatory institutions, including those mentioned in Section 719 of Article 27; therefore

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 719 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Maryland Training School for Boys", be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on June 1, 1941.

Approved April 23, 1941.

CHAPTER 181.

(House Bill 410)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 278 of Article 23 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Wicomico County", sub-title "Salisbury", providing the procedure for removal of officers and appointment to fill vacancies.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 278 of Article 23 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Wicomico County", sub-title "Salisbury", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, to read as follows:

278. Upon complaint in writing and a trial before the Council, after notice to the party complained of informing him of what he is charged and to appear and defend himself first having been given him in writing at least five days before trial, and if Council find any of said officers including the clerk to the Council, treasurer or collector, as hereinafter provided for, to be guilty of misconduct unbecoming an officer, disobedience, neglect of duty, misfeasance or malfeasance in office, such officer may be removed at once from his office by a majority vote of the trial board and his office shall be declared vacant, and the Mayor shall, as soon as con-