

ized and directed temporarily to increase the compensation of all officers and employees of the Almshouse of said County, such increase to be in an amount equal to twenty (20) per centum of the compensation received by such persons as are employed pursuant to the provisions of Section 1 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Allegany County", sub-title "Almshouse".

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the County Commissioners of Allegany County be and they are hereby authorized and directed to increase the compensation of all officers and employees of the insane asylum of said county, such increase to be in an amount equal to twenty (20) per centum of the compensation received by such persons pursuant to the provisions of Section 290 of Article 1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Allegany County", sub-title "Insane Asylum".

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That the temporary increases in compensation provided for by this Act shall in all instances be based and computed upon the amounts being regularly received as compensation on June 1, 1945. Such temporary increases shall be paid at the same times and in the same manner as all employees concerned now receive their regular salaries or wages.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That the temporary increases provided in this Act shall continue to be paid for the duration of the present war between the United States and Germany and Japan, and during any prolongation thereof with either of such nations or with another nation; and for six months after the termination of any such war by the signing of a definite treaty of peace or by a proclamation by the President of the United States that the war emergency is ended, whichever event shall first occur.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1945.

Approved May 4, 1945.

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CHAPTER 1064.

(House Bill 811)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 5 of Article 38 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, title "Fines and Forfeitures", the same relating to Law Libraries.