

and List of Debts," and Section 234 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore County (1948 Edition), being Article 3 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Baltimore County," sub-title "Orphans' Court," relating generally to the appointment of appraisers for testamentary work in Baltimore County and for the compensation to be paid to such persons.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 215 of Article 93 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Testamentary Law," sub-title "Inventory and List of Debts," and Section 234 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore County (1948 Edition), being Article 3 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Baltimore County," sub-title "Orphans' Court," be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

215. Said appraisers shall receive such compensation for the time they are actually engaged in said appraisal as the Judges of the Orphans' Court shall prescribe, not to exceed Five Dollars per diem, said compensation to be paid out of the estate of the decedent after said appraisers have filed an itemized sworn account of the number of days they were actually engaged in such appraisal with the Orphans' Court or Register of Wills, as the case may be, and after said sworn statement is approved by said court or register of wills, as the case may be; provided, however, that nothing contained in this section shall apply to the Orphans' Court or Register of Wills of the City of Baltimore, [or] Montgomery County or Baltimore County.

234. On granting letters testamentary or of administration or of collection by the Orphans' Court of Baltimore County, a warrant or warrants shall issue under the seal of office authorizing two persons of discretion, [One] both of whom shall be selected by the court and [the other named by the executor, administrator or collector,] neither of whom shall be related to the deceased nor interested in the administration, to appraise the goods, chattels and personal estate of the deceased known to them or to be shown by the executor, administrator or collector. *One of said persons shall be named the Appraiser, at an annual salary of ~~five~~ SIX thousand dollars, and the other shall be named the Deputy Appraiser, at an annual salary of ~~four thousand~~ THREE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED dollars. Such salaries shall be in lieu of any and all other compensation for their duties as such.* THE REGISTER OF WILLS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED AND DIRECTED TO ENACT A SCHED-