

PROMISSORY NOTES, &c—

any paper &c. stamped to be used by him as tho' he had obtained the same from clerk, &c. such paper to be presented to Commissioner of Loans who shall upon receiving the duties, &c. chargeable, &c. stamp such papers, &c. provided that nothing in this section, shall authorise a stamp upon any of the instruments, &c. after the same shall have been protested, &c. and Commissioner of Loans on 1st of June, Sept Dec. and March, pay over to Treasurer all sums received, &c. on failure to account within 10 days from the time limited, &c. Treasurer to notify Deputy Attorney General of Balto. whose duty it shall be to put bond in suit.

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Whenever any person shall apply to clerks, &c. for any quantity at one time of vellum, &c. the whole amount of duties on which shall be \$10 clerk authorised to deliver the same upon receiving amount of said duties, deducting seven and a half per cent.

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Penalty for fraudently evading the duties enforced by this act.

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No instrument of writing shall be pleaded or given in evidence unless stamped.

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Clerks to account and pay over to Treasurer all sums received on the 1st days of June, Sept. Dec. and March, each year including additional sums received under preceding section, deducting one per cent. commission for services, account to be verified by oath, the amount &c. of stamps remaining on hand, &c. and on failure to account within 30 days, Treasurer to give notice to Deputy Attorney General to put bond in suit, &c. upon receiving the bond of said clerks for any default under provisions of this act, clerk to be removed and Governor to fill vacancy.

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At the time of repeal of act, any person having in hand any stamped paper, &c. upon returning same to Treasurer, to be entitled to receive from the Treasurer the a-

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