land (1964 Supplement), title "County Commissioners," subtitle "County Treasurers," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

51.

- (g) The county treasurer of Charles County shall receive an annual salary of [\$6,000.00] \$8,000.00 \$7,000.00. The salary of the assistant treasurer shall not exceed [\$4,000.00] \$5,000.00 per annum.
- SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That the provisions of this Act shall not be construed to extend or apply to the Treasurer in office on the effective date hereof, but shall take effect with the next term of office.
- SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1965.

Approved April 8, 1965.

CHAPTER 405 (House Bill 578)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 277 (n) of Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Supplement), title "Revenue and Taxes," subtitle "Recordation Tax," to increase the recordation tax in Charles County.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 277 (n) of Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Supplement), title "Revenue and Taxes," subtitle "Recordation Tax," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

277.

(n) The rate of tax applicable to instruments recorded with the clerk of the Superior Court of Baltimore City and with the clerk of the Circuit Court for Charles County shall be as follows:

In the case of instruments conveying title to property, the tax shall be at the rate of \$1.65 for each \$500 or fractional part thereof of the actual consideration paid or to be paid; in the case of instruments securing a debt, the tax shall be at the rate of \$1.65 for each \$500 of the principal amount of the debt secured.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1965.

Approved April 8, 1965.