

he nor any other person appointed to or employed in said warehouse shall engage in the purchase or sale of tobacco (except that he may sell tobacco of his own raising), nor shall any person appointed to or employed in said warehouses receive any gift or emolument whatever, either directly or indirectly, for any service in the line of his duty other than his regular salary or wages; and any person violating the provisions of this section shall be immediately dismissed from office or service. Each of said samplers or any employee of said warehouse shall be covered by surety bonds in accordance with the above said sections of Article 78A of the Annotated Code of Maryland. Said Inspector, *subject to the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture*, shall have authority to dismiss any and all appointees and employees in said warehouse, when in his judgment, it shall be for the good of the service; and neglect of duty on the part of any employee shall be cause for his immediate removal by the Inspector or the *Secretary of Agriculture* [Governor].

11.

(a) The Inspector of Tobacco, *subject to approval of the Secretary of Agriculture*, shall have power to appoint one chief clerk and such other clerks, samplers, tiers, janitors, screw men, laborers and other help as may be necessary for the efficient and economical management of the warehouse. Such employees shall be paid the salaries or wages provided by the General Assembly through the annual budget or appropriation act. The Inspector may assign any appointee or employee to any work deemed by him necessary for the business of the tobacco warehouse or for the promotion of the tobacco growing industry of the State, and he shall, as far as possible, equitably apportion the appointments to be made by him between the tobacco growing counties of the State.

(b) The Inspector, *subject to approval of the Secretary of Agriculture*, shall appoint as many full-time or part-time employees who are competent and qualified to grade tobacco, to be known as tobacco graders or samplers, as he may deem necessary at such salaries as may be provided for in the annual budget. The Inspector in making said appointments shall only appoint persons who have been trained by the United States Department of Agriculture in cooperation with the State [Board] Department of Agriculture and each of said persons so appointed or to be appointed must have a certificate of competency from said United States Department of Agriculture and the State [Board] Department of Agriculture, showing that he is competent and qualified.

43.

If any owner, or owners of tobacco, or his, her or their agent or agents, shall believe that any of their tobacco has been incorrectly sampled, and shall so notify the inspector before the sale thereof, and within ten days of the date of its inspection, the matter shall be referred to a committee of arbitration, consisting of three persons, to be selected as follows: One thereof shall be selected by the inspector and approved by the [Governor] *Secretary of Agriculture*, one thereof shall be selected by the owners of the tobacco or their agent or agents, and the two thus selected shall select the remaining member of the committee, and said committee shall then have the power to require the said inspector, in charge of said hogshead or hogs-