

**INSPECTOR OF TOBACCO
STATE TOBACCO WAREHOUSE**

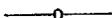
J. Edward Proutt, Chief Inspector

P. Augustine Wheatley, Administrative Assistant

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The Inspector of Tobacco, an office established in 1888, is appointed by the Governor. He must be a resident of one of the tobacco growing counties and a tobacco grower or a duly qualified tobacco dealer. The Inspector of Tobacco is responsible for the proper and adequate inspection and grading of tobacco grown, sold or stored within the State of Maryland. He is also responsible for the supervision of the State Tobacco Warehouse and all property connected therewith in the City of Baltimore (Code 1939, 1947 Supp. Art. 48, secs. 9-49).

Appropriations: None	1948	1949
Receipts from Storage and Inspection of Tobacco.....	\$60,426	\$61,154
Staff: 20		



COMMISSIONER OF TOBACCO MARKETING

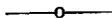
Herman W. Hewitt, Sr., 1947

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The office of Commissioner of Tobacco Marketing was created by the General Assembly (Code 1939, Art. 48, sec. 51). The Commissioner is appointed by the Governor for a term of four years. He grants licenses to all persons or corporations engaged in buying and selling leaf tobacco; he has the power to revoke licenses with the right of appeal in the Circuit Court. The Commissioner makes rules and regulations as to the manner in which persons and corporations engaged in buying and selling leaf tobacco shall keep their books and records, which shall be open to inspection by the said Commissioner.

Appropriations: None	1948	1949
Fees and Licenses.....	\$3,000	\$3,000
Staff: None		



MARYLAND TOBACCO AUTHORITY

Chairman: W. B. Posey, 1951

Ninion Barber, 1949; W. W. Dyson, 1949; Stanforth Shepherd, 1950; J. P. Ryon, 1950; Walter D. Addison, 1951; Edward A. Miller, 1951; W. B. Posey, 1951.

John B. Morsell, Secretary-Treasurer

The Maryland Tobacco Authority was created by the General Assembly of Maryland in 1947, and began to function July 1, 1948. The Authority is composed of seven members appointed by the Governor. Of the members first appointed, two shall serve for one year, two for