

month, for the compensation of each of the three Chief Clerks of said Courts so appointed and confirmed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1929.

Approved April 2, 1929.

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### CHAPTER 193.

AN ACT legalizing the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, edited by Horace E. Flack, and making it evidence of the law.

WHEREAS, a new edition of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland has been prepared by Horace E. Flack, in pursuance of Chapter 311 of the Acts of 1927; therefore

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, edited by Horace E. Flack, be and the same is hereby legalized and shall be deemed and taken in all the Courts of the State, and by all Justices of the Peace of the State, and by all other public officials therein, to be evidence of the Public Local Laws of the State contained in the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland of 1888 and the Public Local Laws enacted subsequent thereto; provided that before the said Code is published, the Public Local Laws enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland at its session of 1929 shall be incorporated therein.

Approved April 2, 1929.

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### CHAPTER 194.

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 35 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Evidence," sub-title "Competency of Witness," said new section to be known as Section 4A and to follow immediately after Section 4 of said Article, to provide against the admission of certain evidence in the trial of misdemeanors.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That a new section be and the same is hereby added to Article 35 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition),