

roads. He shall at least, once in each and every month go over and carefully observe the condition of all the public roads in Somerset County with a view to directing their proper repair and reconstruction. He shall not work out or expend on the roads or bridges of said County a greater sum in any one fiscal year than the amount levied by the County Commissioners for this purpose. He shall appear before the Commissioners at their first meeting in each and every month and make a statement to them of the work done and materials furnished and money expended. He shall examine and certify to the correctness of all bills and accounts for any work done or materials furnished for any of the public roads or bridges in Somerset County before the same shall be paid, and no payments shall be made until such accounts have been certified by him. He shall make annually in writing a detailed report of all work done on and material furnished for the county roads and bridges for the year, together with the names of all persons working on said roads and bridges, and furnishing such material, and the amount to which each person is entitled for such work done and materials provided, and which he has certified as correct, which report shall be made before the first day of July for the year ending on the first day of March, and in making such report he shall be furnished by the Board of County Commissioners, with the services of one of the Clerks or stenographers of said Board. Said county road superintendent shall not be interested in the business of any person, firm or corporation from which anything shall be purchased for the use of said roads or bridges, or receive any commissions on any purchase so made.

235. It shall be the duty of the Chairman of the State Roads Commission and Director of Public Works, whenever the office of County Road Superintendent shall become vacant by death, resignation, removal from office or from any other cause, immediately to appoint some one to fill such vacancy in the manner and with the same qualifications as prescribed in Section 228 of this Article.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That any law or laws, or parts of any law or laws, heretofore enacted and affecting or pertaining to the County Commissioners, their powers and duties over roads and ditches in said Somerset County, be and the same are hereby saved and shall remain in full effect and force, except so far as the same or any of them may be repealed by or may be inconsistent and in conflict with the provisions of this Act.