| Headnotes | Present Constitution | Constitution of 1867 | Constitution of 1864 | Constitution of 1851 | Constitution of 1776 | Amendments to 1776 Constitution |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| | | | | the duty of the Commission- | | |
| | | | | ers of Public Works to re- | | |
| | | | | view, from time to time, the | | |
| 1 | | | | rate of tolls adopted by any | | |
| | | | | company; use all legal pow- | | |
| | | | | ers which they may possess | | |
| | | | | to obtain the establishment | | |
| | | | | of rates of tolls, which may | | |
| | | | | prevent an injurious com- | | |
| | | | | petition with each other, to | | |
| | | | | the detriment of the inter- | | |
| | | | | ests of the State; and so to | | |
| | | | | adjust them as to promote | | |
| | | | | the agriculture of the State. | | |
| | | | | It shall also be the duty of | | |
| | | | | the said Commissioners of | | |
| | | | | Public Works to keep a | | |
| | | | | journal of their proceedings; | | |
| | | | | and at each regular session | | |
| | | | | of the Legislature to make | | |
| | | | | to it a report, and to rec- | | 1 |
| | | | | ommend such legislation as | | |
| | | | | they shall deem necessary | | |
| | | | | and requisite to promote or | | |
| | | | | protect the interest of the | | |
| | | | | State in the Public Works; | | |
| | | | | and perform such other | | |
| | | | | duties as may be prescribed | | |
| | | | | by law. They shall receive such salary as may be al- | | |
| | | | | lowed by law, which shall | | |
| | | | | not be increased or dimin- | | |
| | | | | ished during their continu- | | |
| | | | | ance in office. | | · · |
| | | | | and in onice. | | |
| | | | | Sec. 2. For the election | | |
| Commissioners of Public | | | | of the Commissioners of | | |
| Works: Election | | | | Public Works, the State | | |
| districts; election. | | | | shall be divided into four | | |
| election. | | | | districts. The counties of | | |
| | | | | Allegany, Washington, Fred- | | |
| İ | | | | erick, Carroll, Baltimore and | | |
| | | | · | Harford, shall constitute the | | |
| | | · | | first district. The counties | | |
| | | | | of Montgomery, Howard, | | |
| | | | | Anne Arundel, Calvert, St. | | |
| | | | | Mary's, Charles and Prince | | |
| | | | | George's, shall constitute the | | |
| | | | | second district. Baltimore | | |
| | | | | city shall constitute the | | |
| | | | | third district. The counties | | |
| | | | | of Cecil, Kent, Queen | | |
| | | | | Anne's, Talbot, Caroline, | | |
| | | | | Dorchester, Somerset, and | | |
| | | | I. | Worcester, shall constitute | | 4 |