the date of their appointment. They shall meet in the City of Baltimore within thirty days after the date of their appointment and thereafter as frequently as may be necessary; they shall fill by a majority vote any vacancy that may occur in their membership, and shall report the results of their investigations not later than January, 1906.

Duties of hospital,, etc.

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That all hospitals, dispensaries and other institutions having medical officers and supported in whole or in part by public funds of the State of Maryland, or of any city or county in the State, shall cause to be made upon blanks furnished by the Tuberculosis Commission records of such facts as may be available for the use and purposes of said commission concerning every case of tuberculosis coming under the care of such institution, and shall return such records at such times and in such manner as shall be directed by the Tuberculosis Commission.

Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That for the purpose of defraying Appropriation necessary expenses, including printing, rent, postage and clerical assistance, the sum of two thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated, to be paid by the Treasurer of the State upon the warrant of the Comptroller at such times and in such sums as may be authorized by the commission.

> SEC. 5. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 12, 1904.

## CHAPTER 477.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Chapter 547 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, 1900, entitled "An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Dorchester County to borrow money on the credit of the county for the purpose of constructing a bridge across the northwest fork of the Nanticoke river, in said county, at a point called 'Harrison Ferry,' and placing a draw therein;" to give their bond or bills obligatory for the payment of the same, and to levy taxes on the assessable property of said county to redeem said bonds or bills obligatory and to pay the interest thereon; and also to levy any additional sum necessary to construct said bridge.