

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the County Commissioners of Talbot County be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to dig, construct and build a canal at or near the village of Royal Oak, in Talbot county, for the accommodation of small sailing crafts, including canoes, launches and small boats propelled by steam, connecting the waters of Broad Creek and Tred Avon River with the waters of Miles River, provided the cost of said canal shall not exceed the sum of sixty thousand dollars; and provided further, before said County Commissioners shall act under the powers hereby given them, the question whether the said canal shall be built and constructed by the said County Commissioners at the expense of the taxpayers of Talbot county, provided the cost of such construction shall not exceed the sum of sixty thousand dollars, shall be submitted to the qualified voters of said county and a majority of such qualified voters shall have determined in favor of such building and construction.

SEC. 2. *Be it enacted,* That the County Commissioners of Talbot County are hereby directed to submit the question of construction and building of said canal on the terms recited in section 1 of this act, to the qualified voters of Talbot county at an election to be held on the fifth day of November, in the year nineteen hundred and twelve.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted.* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 4, 1912.

CHAPTER 181.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments sections 2 and 13 of Chapter 171 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of the year 1908, entitled "An Act to incorporate the town of Rock Hall, in Kent county," and to add a new section thereto, to be known as section 28.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That sections 2 and 13 of Chapter 171 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of the year 1908, entitled "An Act to incorporate the town of Rock Hall, in Kent county," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, and an additional section to be known as section 28 be added thereto, so as to read as follows:

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the boundaries of said town shall be as follows: Beginning at the head waters of Rock Hall