

certain bonds to raise funds to be applied to the costs of said building and land, and to provide for the payment of said bonds, and to pass such ordinances as may be necessary for the purpose of this act and for the management, use and protection of said public hall or building.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Commissioners of Sudlersville, a municipal corporation of Queen Anne's county, created by and existing under the laws of the State of Maryland, be and it is hereby empowered and authorized to erect, own and maintain within its corporate limits a public hall or building wherein the officers of said corporation can hold the municipal elections and meetings, transact the business of said corporation, receive the municipal taxes, and wherein fire apparatus can be kept, and to contain, in addition to the rooms required for the above or other municipal purposes, a large hall or assembly-room, suitable for the holding of public assemblies, lectures, plays or other entertainments.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the municipal corporation aforesaid, the Commissioners of Sudlersville, be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to acquire by purchase or by condemnation in the manner prescribed by Article 23 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Corporations," subtitle "Condemnation of property by corporations," with amendments thereto, any land within the corporate limits of said municipal corporation upon which to erect said building.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That for the purpose of constructing or erecting said public hall and for the purpose of acquiring the land upon which to erect the same, the Commissioners of Sudlersville be and it is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to borrow money on the faith and credit of said municipal corporation, to an amount not exceeding seven thousand dollars and to issue registered coupon bonds of said municipal corporation in payment of said sum and the interest thereon to accrue. The Commissioners or municipal officers of said corporation are hereby authorized and empowered to fix and determine the length of time any and all said bonds shall run, their series, and the time at which said any and all said bonds shall be redeemable, and the rate of interest they shall bear, and shall have the right to make said bonds redeemable at pleasure or otherwise, in their discretion. Said bonds shall be issued in the name of "The Commissioners of Sudlersville," and shall be signed by the three commissioners or municipal officers of said corporation who shall also sign the coupons thereof. Said bonds