

fifteen cents on the one hundred dollars, for the use of public roads and bridges in Baltimore county, which shall be collected as other county taxes are collected.

228. The county commissioners shall set apart two-thirds of the tax so collected as a "special road and bridge fund," which shall be for the use and benefit of that district from which it has been collected, and all orders for the payment of money shall be signed by the chairman and at least one other of the supervisors of that district. The county commissioners shall set apart the remaining one-third of the tax so collected, as the "general road and bridge fund," which shall be applied by the commissioners to the general use and benefit of the bridges and roads of Baltimore county, and for no other purposes.

Ibid. s. 12.
Special road
and bridge fund

General road
and bridge
fund

229. When there shall not be sufficient money in the county treasury set apart as the "general road and bridge fund," to meet the requirements of the county at large, the county commissioners are authorized to borrow upon the credit of the county, a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars therefor, and shall pay the same, together with the interest thereon, out of the "general road and bridge fund," and whenever there shall not be sufficient money in the county treasury set apart as the special road and bridge fund of any district, the county commissioners are authorized to borrow upon the credit of the county a sum of money not exceeding two thousand dollars, to meet the requirements of said district, and shall pay the same, together with the interest thereon, out of the special road fund set apart for said district.

Ibid. s. 13.
County com-
missioners may
borrow money
for use of gene-
ral fund.

230. Whenever twenty or more taxable inhabitants of Baltimore county shall desire the opening of any new road or the widening, straightening, altering or closing of any old road or part of any old road, they may make application in writing to the county commissioners setting forth as near as may be, the length and location of the road so petitioned for, and the county commissioners shall give notice in one or more papers published in Baltimore county, for two succes-

Ibid. s. 14.
Application for
opening of new
road, &c.

Notice.