

behalf of any county of this State, shall be allowed by the county commissioners thereof until said account has been submitted to and approved by the judges of the court of said county or a majority thereof.

1876, ch. 218.

202. The preceding section shall only apply to the counties of Caroline, Kent, Talbot, Prince George's, Queen Anne's, Charles, Harford and Dorchester.

OUT-PENSIONS.

P. L. L., (1860,) art. 6, sec. 157.

203. The county commissioners may annually levy a sum of money not exceeding four hundred dollars, to be apportioned by them among such poor persons applying therefor as they shall deem fit objects for out-pensions.

RAILROADS.

1886, ch. 509.

204. The county commissioners of each of the following counties, to wit, Caroline, Talbot, Dorchester and Wicomico, are authorized and empowered, in their discretion, to endorse the bonds of the Baltimore and Eastern Shore railroad company to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars each; provided, that no such endorsement shall be made until the question of such endorsement shall have been submitted to the qualified voters of their respective counties by the commissioners thereof, and a majority of such qualified voters shall have determined in favor of such endorsement; and provided also, that the bonds so endorsed shall be secured by a mortgage on the property and franchises of said Baltimore and Eastern Shore railroad, which said mortgage shall be second to a mortgage of five hundred thousand dollars to the city of Baltimore, but to no other.

ROADS.

1870, ch. 479.

205. The county commissioners of Caroline, Talbot and Wicomico counties are authorized and empowered to control and regulate the public roads in said counties.