

CHAPTER 157.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments section five, of article seventy-seven, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Public Education," sub-title "Chapter Two, Formation of Boards."

Repeal. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That section five, of article seventy-seven, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Public Education," sub-title "Chapter Two, Formation of Boards," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

Shall ap point. SEC. 5. The governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint at every regular session of the General Assembly, four persons, (one of whom shall be a resident of the Eastern Shore,) who together with the governor and the principal of the State normal school shall constitute the State board of education.

Effective. SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 27, 1890.

CHAPTER 158.

AN ACT to authorize and empower the county commissioners of Talbot, Caroline, Dorchester and Wicomico counties to subscribe to the capital stock of the Baltimore and Eastern Shore railroad company.

Preamble. WHEREAS, by an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at its January session, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-six, chapter five hundred and nine, the county commissioners of Talbot, Caroline, Dorchester and Wicomico counties were authorized in their discretion to endorse the bonds of the Baltimore and Eastern Shore railroad company to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars each, when a majority of the qualified voters of said counties respectively should determine in favor of such endorsement, and that the bonds so endorsed to be secured by a mortgage on the property and franchises of said Baltimore and Eastern Shore railroad company and which was to be second to a mortgage to Baltimore city to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars; and,

WHEREAS, Talbot, Dorchester and Wicomico counties, at an election held on the eighth day of November, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, determined by a majority of the quali-