SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That annually, on the first day of April next succeeding each levy of county taxes, be expended. beginning with April the first, nineteen hundred and three, the Board of County Commissioners of Worcester county, shall pay to the Mayor and Council of Pocomoke City onehalf of all sums levied by said County Commissioners after the passage of this Act, for road and bridge taxes upon property within the corporate limits of Pocomoke City and collected within the preceding twelve months, to be expended by the Mayor and Council of Pocomoke City for the repair, maintenance and improvement of the streets and roads within the corporate limits of Pocomoke City, as a part of the public roads of Worcester county.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That the words "Road and Bridge" taxes as used in sections one, two and three of this Act, shall include and embrace every sum or item in the "Roads and annual levy of county taxes applied to, or to be applied to the includes and supervision, maintenance or improvement of the county roads and bridges, embracing labor appliances and materials, except only such sums as are levied to the Pocomoke Bridge Company and the Ocean City Bridge Company.

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SEC. 5. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 8, 1902.

## CHAPTER 186.

AN ACT to add an additional Section to Article 22 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Washington County," sub-title "County Commissioners," to be known and designated as Section 117 A.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That an additional section be added to the Code New section of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Washington County," sub-title "County Commissioners," to be designated as section 117 A and to follow section 117, to read as follows:

117 A. The County Commissioners of Washington County shall, when sitting as a local board of health, annually, in the month of May, or as soon thereafter as practicable, appoint a health officer who shall be a well-educated physician, and who appointed. by virtue of such appointments shall be the secretary of such board of health and the executive officer thereof; provided, that the salary to be paid said health officer shall be fixed by the County Commissioners at the time of his appointment, and he shall not receive for his services any further compensation

Health officer