May employ water engineer.

Proposals.

to give them plans and specifications in the erection of waterworks, reservoirs, conduits, plugs and all necessary equipment for proper water-works and a sufficient supply of water; and after receiving the said plans and specifications they shall invite sealed proposals by advertisement for a reasonable time for the construction and completion of said works, which proposals shall be sent in sealed envelopes addressed to said Mayor and Council, and by them shall be publicly opened on the day named in said advertisement; said proposals shall set forth the amount of money for which the parties proposing will construct such works according to the plan and specification submitted, and the time or times at which payments therefor shall be made, and the time when said water-works will be completed; and the said Mayor and Council may reject any and all bids, or award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder therefor, at their discretion, requiring any accepted bidder to give bond in such penalty as said Mayor and Council shall determine, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract entered into.

Effective.

Sec. 8. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 6th, 1894.

CHAPTER 343.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments section one of Chapter eighty-two of the Acts passed at the January Session, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, titled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of Dorchester County to borrow money on the credit of the county, for the purpose of repairing the bridge across Cambridge Creek in the town of Cambridge, said county, and to place a wider draw therein, and to give their bonds or bills obligatory for the payment, and to levy a tax to redeem said bonds or bills obligatory.

Repeal.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That section one of chapter eighty-two of the act passed at the January session, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, titled an act to authorize the County Commissioners of