

not before, the county commissioners of Queen Anne's county shall be authorized to carry into effect the provisions of this act; and each board of county commissioners for said counties are hereby authorized, previous to said election, at the expense of their respective counties to appoint a civil engineer or other competent person, to inspect and examine into the condition of said bridge, and to make return thereof to said respective boards, with his opinion of the cost of putting the said bridge in thorough repair, and keeping the same in repair.

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### Chapter 377.

AN ACT to appropriate a sum of money to Crisfield Academy, in Somerset county.

WHEREAS the facilities for education in said school are now inadequate to meet the needs of its hundred students, and whereas it is desirous to make said school a high school, for which it was originally intended, and whereas similar schools receive state aid; therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the treasurer, upon the warrant of the comptroller, shall pay on the first day of June, in the years eighteen hundred and eighty-eight and eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, to the trustees of Crisfield Academy, in Somerset county, each year the sum of four hundred dollars, to be applied by said trustees to the purpose of education in said school, and make said institution a high school.

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

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