that nothing in this Act shall be taken to regulate the pay of any special officer or station house keeper now or hereafter to be appointed by the said County Commissioners of Baltimore county, but their pay shall be entirely in the discretion of said County Commissioners.

177. The County Commissioners shall levy annually a sufficient sum, not exceeding thirty-seven thousand five hundred dollars, upon the taxable property in Baltimore county, to pay said policemen, and for such other necessary and proper expenses as in their judgment may be required to promote the efficiency, discipline and usefulness of such police force.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from June 1, 1908.

Approved March 30, 1908.

CHAPTER 236.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments section 195 of article 3 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Baltimore County," sub-title "Roads," as amended by chapter 465 of the Acts of 1904.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That section 195 of article 3 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Baltimore County," sub-title "Roads," as amended by chapter 465 of the Acts of 1904, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

195. The Baltimore County Roads Engineer shall receive a salary of two thousand dollars annually, in monthly instalments, and five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary to meet his traveling expenses, and the expenses incurred in the discharge of his duties, and also such further allowance, not exceeding the sum of twelve hundred dollars per year, for such professional and clerical assistance as the Highways Commission may find requisite and necessary. Such sums to be paid out of the general road and bridge fund of the county.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect on May 1, 1908.

Approved March 31, 1908.