

notice required for entering upon lands, either for the condemnation of the same for outlets and watercourses, or for condemning land for obtaining gravel thereout of, or for condemning such quantity of gravel as may be needed thereout of, shall be in no event less than ten days, and only such time in excess of that, if any, as the examiners may see fit to give.

160c. The County Commissioners of Charles county shall levy annually on the assessable property of the county, for the use of the roads and bridges of the county, a sum of money not less than eight thousand dollars nor more than twelve thousand dollars; but for the levy of 1908 and 1909 they shall levy at least the sum of ten thousand dollars. The said Road Commissioners shall at their first meeting elect one of their number as president of the board who shall act as such during his entire term unless otherwise ordered by action of the board at a regular meeting or any meeting called for the purpose, and the engineer herein provided for shall act as secretary to the board; and all contracts signed by the president as such, and the said engineer as secretary, shall be considered as the act of the board unless it shall otherwise appear. No money shall be paid out of the funds provided for the purposes of this Act for the traveling expenses or other expenses of the Road Commissioners; provided, however, that the actual expenditures for traveling by any one of said commissioners when engaged outside of his home district or for going outside of the county, to the extent and to the extent only that such expenditure shall be approved upon proper vouchers presented by the County Commissioners, may be allowed, not exceeding in any case more than twenty-five dollars for any expenditures in the county, nor more than fifty dollars for any expenditures outside of the county, and in the county, and no expenses for traveling purposes of any kind shall be allowed to said engineer except to the extent that he may be ordered to go out of the county and then only for such expenditures as may upon proper vouchers be approved and ordered by a vote entered upon the minutes of the Road Commissioners, not to exceed in any event more than fifty dollars. And it is further provided that the limitation of the number of supervisors herein set forth shall not prevent the aforesaid Road Commissioners from employing extra supervisors or laborers in work needed upon any new road which may have been or shall hereafter be opened in accordance with law by the County Commissioners of the county, which power of opening new roads is reserved in the County Commissioners as under existing law, to be paid for out of funds other than those set aside for the purpose of this Act. And it is further herein provided that in any proceeding for the